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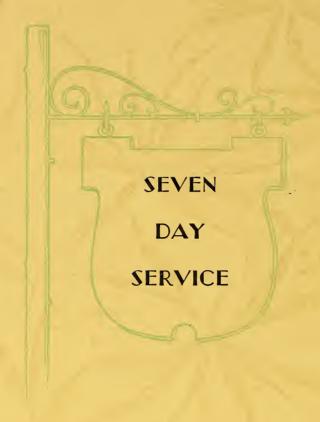


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ON · · · THE CAPE ROAD MIDDLEBORO, MASS.



Y CUSTOMERS may be interested to know that I am prepared to give service seven days each week and as late as nine o'clock each evening. I have found that evenings, Saturday afternoons, and Sundays are the only times convenient for many of you to visit my gardens. You can depend that you and your friends are always welcome and that I shall strive to make your visit to "Dahliatown" as pleasant as possible.



# Announcing My New Farm



Having acquired another farm in South Middleboro, I will be better equipped than ever before to serve my large increasing trade. My new farm has in the neighborhood of one hundred acres, and is located on both sides of the State Road, route 28, about four miles south of Middleboro. A large advertising sign tells you that you are "Now at Dahliatown's New Location." I already have about fifty acres of it ploughed, and plan to plant that much next Spring, in addition to my present farm. This will give me considerably over one hundred acres under cultivation. I shall construct this Spring, as soon as the frost is out of the ground, a Flower Shop at my new farm. This Flower Shop will be three times the size of my present Flower Shop,

having a special room for the displaying of all varieties of dahlias, gladioli and other bulbs and hardy plants that I am growing. I am sure you will find it very interesting to visit and that it will be well worth your while.

"Dahliatcwn" has grown rapidly this past year, both in acreage and improvements. Thinking you would be interested to know how I am progressing, I will mention a few of my most important accomplishments. In addition to the forty-six acres of my own land, I had about fifteen acres of hired or leased land under cultivation, making my total acreage over sixty, principally to bulbs.

My Gladioli planting was considerably increased, totaling approximately seven hundred thousand large sized bulbs, with considerably over two million smaller bulbs. My Peony planting was nearly doubled to meet my increasing business in Peonies, with six new Japanese varieties added. My business in Dutch Bulbs (Tulips, Hyacinths, Crcus, etc.) easily tripled that of last Fall, which is very gratifying. My second year in offering Flower and Vegetable Seeds was mighty good. Realizing the importance of dependable seeds, I have been exceptionally careful in my selection—that this new feature may develop rapidly.

To accommodate the tremendous increase in my business I have been obliged to add a third floor to my bulb warehouse, giving me 4,320 sq. ft. of floor space. With the installation last Fall, of a new heating plant, I have added 14,000 cu. ft. of cellar storage space for bulbs. By developing my auto drives I have improved them so that you can ride for over a mile in the Fall, with flowers on both sides. You are most cordially invited to visit my gardens whenever you are in th's locality and I assure you that I will strive to make your visit as pleasant as possible. Come and bring your friends — the more the merrier. My gardens are located on the State Road from Boston to Cape Cod, between the towns of Bridgewater and Middleboro. Don't forget that cut-flowers may be enjoyed from May until frost.

In all bulbs and seeds I am very careful that only the most desirable varieties are offered and that they are strong, healthy and full of vitality. My seeds all pass highest germination tests. Bulbs and Seeds of highest quality are my standard. Many new varieties have been tried, tested-out and finally discarded, and while this takes time and money. I find it pays me, as I can truthfully recommend everything I am offering. They include the very finest new creations and the cream of the older favorites.

I shall strive to continue my policy of conscientious service and hope to receive your order again this coming season. You can depend upon careful personal attention which I feel sure will give you complete satisfaction. Soliciting a share of your patronage, I remain,

Yours for floral success,

J. HERBERT ALEXANDER "Dahliatown" Middleboro, Massachusetts

January 1, 1931.



# **GLADIOLI**

During these last few years I have increased my Gladioli planting so rapidly that I now have one of the finest collections of Gladioli in the world, as well as one of the most extensive plantings. My collection includes the very latest and best, the finest new creations, all the very largest of recent production, as well as the cream of the older favorites. By devoting my entire time to growing bulbs, and studying their requirements carefully since childhood, I have acquired valuable knowledge on the production of bulbs. The combination of the practical knowledge gained thru years of experience, and the course in scientific horticulture at the University, plus a trained ability to select characteristics that show improvement, has made it possible to apply myself to bulb production, to the advantage of both my customers and myself.

A thorough understanding of fertilization and soil requirements has been a great help, and insures my customers that the bulbs I send to them are the best bulbs that can be produced. They are strong, healthy and full of vitality, plump high crowned corms (bulbs) that have considerable stored up food. I am constantly aiming to produce the best that can be developed in bulbs, and my prices are as low as is consistent with this quality bulb. All prices on Gladioli quoted are for mammoth sized bulbs, unless otherwise specified, and as these are larger and stronger than offered by many growers they are guaranteed to give excellent results. The medium sized bulbs quoted in many instances are the same size as offered as the largest size by many growers. All of both medium sized and mammoth bulbs are sure to bloom the first year. Any Gladioli bulb that fails to grow will be cheerfully replaced without expense to you. I make this guarantee because I am sure of the quality I can supply, and from past experiences know they give perfect satisfaction practically 100%. If you have never grown my Gladioli, a trial order will prove my statements convincingly, I assure you.

# NEW AND RARE GLADIOLI

It is my aim to possess the very finest Glads that are developed, and as new ones are created, I test them out thoroughly, adding only the most exceptional each year. This year's col lection of new creations includes only the largest flowering varieties, producing the very longest spikes, and the most gigantic flowers. Each of the following are exceptional creations, and as the amount of stock now available is very limited, would suggest that you place your order for any in this collection of new creations as early as possible, that you may not be disappointed. This collection includes the very finest creations from all parts of the world. In addition to securing Glads from all over the United States, I have imported them from Holland, Scotland, England, Germany, France, and far off Australia, that my collection will be the most complete and include the very largest and rarest varieties.

A. E. Kunderd. Immense salmon-rose, with dark blotch. 50c each, \$5.00 dozen.

Aflame. Extra large grandiflora primulinus of begonia-rose shading to bright orange flame, near edge. Six or more giant flowers at once. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Albatross. This rare European creation is one of the very finest of our new Glads, a gigantic pure white. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00, \$20.00 dozen.

Betty Nuthall. This exceptional California creation is one of the very finest of the new creations I have tested out. It has phenomenal size, magnificent long spikes of gigantic size. Its color blending is most fascinating, a lovely coral with pale orange throat and feathered carmine. Its general effect is a lovely yelloworange. Most highly recommended. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for \$2.50.

Canberra. Rare importation from Australia. Undoubtedly the largest and finest yellow Glad so far developed, highly recommended. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00.

Charles Dickens. This rare German creation is an improvement on the older variety "Henry Ford," being a brilliant radiant purple, with velvety blotch. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Color Marvel. A very rare and unusual combination of colors, very difficult to describe. An excellent new creation. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00.

Commander Koehl. Exceptional new German creation, the finest of the new brilliant Glads, a fascinating brilliant scarlet red, flowers five to six inches across, on magnificent spikes. \$7.50 each, 3 for \$20.00.

Coronado. Mammoth white Glad with glossy rich purple throat, occasionally tinged with a soft purple. Blooms of heavy texture and edges frilled. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$3.00.

Coryphee. Exceptional creation from Germany. A masterpiece, growing five to six feet tall, and producing large round flowers, many open at one time. Soft rose-pink, similar to that of fresh cut "Ophelia" rose. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$4.00.

Dr. L. H. Bailey. One of Kunderd's finest. Rich velvety tyrian rose. \$3.00 each, 3 for \$8.00.

Ensign. One of the showiest of the new varieties I have imported, a very attractive shade of red, with a showy white throat. Very large flowers, highly recommended. \$7.50 dozen, 3 for \$2.00.

Frederick Christ. One of the finest and scarcest Gladioli, a California creation of most unusual colors, a rare combination of LaFrance pink and yellow. Exceptional and highly recommended. \$3.00 each, 3 for \$8.00.

Jonkheer van Tets. Excellent European creation, one of those gigantic tall pure whites we are all looking for. One of the very best whites, if not the best of all. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00

Jubilee. Large lavender pink. \$2.50 each, 3 for \$7.00.

King George. Another importation from Scotland, that is among the very finest of the red with white throat creations. \$1.00 each. 3 for \$2.75.

Laidley. Very unusual combination of colors, difficult to describe, deep rose with blending of cream. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$4.00.

Lavender Bride. Good smoky lavender. 50c each, \$5.00 dozen.

Loyalty. A yellow that is a real yellow. Good strong sturdy grower. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Mary Frey. Probably the earliest of the really good lavenders. A beautiful lavender with a ruby blotch. \$3.50 dozen, 3 for \$1.00.

Mahogany King. Rare importation, almost black. Exceptionally good. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75.

Mother Machree. Vinaceous lavender somewhat overlaid toward edges of petals with a sort of selmon-pink. A very difficult coloring to describe, but very rare and pleasing. Appears like smoky autumn leaves, in fact it might be called a smoky Unquestionably one of the most rare, unusual, phenomenal. \$5.00 each, 6 for \$25.00.

Morocco. A real novelty from Germany, almost black. The finest of the near black creations. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$4.00.

Queen of the Night. Deepest maroon. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Salbach's Orchid. New California creation of beautiful Cattleya orchid shade. Gigantic size, similar to "Minuet." One of the best. \$15.00 each.

Spirit of St. Louis. According to Ridgeway's color chart, this is a flame carnelian red, however, the general tone or effect suggests orange, 50c each, 5.00 dozen.

Tobersum. One of the very best yellows. \$1.50 each, 3 for \$4.00-

Troubadour. Rare German importation of deep violet. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 dozen.





# **EXCEPTIONAL GLADIOLI**



Catherine Coleman. A most exquisite shade of coral-pink; ceptionally long spike. Fifteen to twenty buds on spike are common, with four or five flowers open at one time. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Chateau Thierry.

Brilliant coral red of tremendous size and exceptional qualities. Long strong spike and very sturdy grower. Very distinct and much desired. \$3.50 per dozen, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Desdemone. A most unusual importation from France. Rare smoky purple with rosy blends and a distinct cream center, producing a very odd but pleasing combination. Very large and exceptionally desirable. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50.

Golden Dream. Beautiful clear deep yet soft yellow that has a beauty all its own. Very tall and straight, strong grower. Petals roll back giving it a distinctive shape. Buds look like large yellow rose buds. An outstanding variety that will be in large demand for years. \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Marjorie Smith. An exceptional new creation of deep rich winered. Very strong, sturdy spike with flowers perfectly arranged; remarkable in size; excellent in every way. 50c each, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Mrs. F. C. Hornberger. Considered the very finest of the latest productions in pure white. The nearest to pure white so far developed, and one that is most desirable. Winner of championship cup at Boston. Very long strong spike, with many flowers open at one time. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Mrs. P. W. Sisson. Excellent creamy light pink, tall strong grower, a phenomenal creation. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.50.

Pride of Wanakah.

A phenomenal creation easily ranking with the aristocrats of the gladioliverecommended. Richest lavender-rose blossoms, shading to a deeper rose in the throat, are well placed on tall spikes. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.50.

Pearl of California. Very tall strong growing plant, producing a very long spike with from twenty to thirty-five buds, which is exceptionally good. Five to twelve flowers open at one time, of gigantic size, and of a most beautiful LaFrance pink color, with rosy white throat. One of the earliest and most beautiful. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.50.

Three each of the above Nine Exceptional Glads (27 bulbs) nine distinct varieties for \$10.00; six of each (54 bulbs) for \$19.00. Three each of Mrs. P. W. Sisson, Marjorie Smith, and Pride of Wanakah for \$4.00; six of each for \$7.50.

### PHENOMENAL GLADIOLI

This collection includes the rarest and most phenomenal of the more recent Glad productions, and is very highly recommended.

Aida. Rare German production of intense rich pansy purple, with deep reddish purple throat markings. A decided improvement on the old favorite "Baron J. Hulot." \$7.50 per dozen, 6 for \$3.75, 3 for \$2.00.

Jean du Tailles. Unusual French creation, giant pure salmonpink with very conspicuous deep carmine blotch. Exceptionally fine. Very long perfect spike. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.50.

La Rose. A pure self-color of deep Tyrian rose with extremely velvety surface. Very large, of good texture, excellent formation, unusually good keeper and one that will satisfy the most exacting fancier. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 50c each.

Loella. This creation ranks among the finest of the most rare and unusual color combinations in Gladiolus. A very odd, very pleasing shade of smoky old-rose, with occasional flecks and markings of deeper old rose. Exceptionally fine. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 per dozen.

Marmora. Exceptionally large, wide-open flowers, many open at a time, perfectly placed on excellent spike. In coloring, this is most unusual, a wonderful gray shade with pale purplish blotch, which makes a pleasing combination. One of the very finest and most distinct Glads in existence, and bound to become immensely popular. \$7.50 per dozen, 6 for \$3.75, 3 for \$2.00, 75c each.

Minuet. A phenomenal creation, most beautiful shade of clear delicate lilac lavender, of tremendous size. It is the standard by which all other light lavenders are measured. Wonderfully beautiful. \$6.00 dozen, 6 for \$3.00, 3 for \$1.50.

Mrs. van Konynenburg. Very tall, clear light blue, rare importation from Germany. The best light blue on the market in my estimation. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.25.

Pfitzer's Triumph. The largest and most phenomenal of all Glads, and one that I take great pleasure in recommending. This splendid German importation outrivals "Mrs. Leon Douglas" in size, and beauty. Its immense flowers are of a brilliant flaming salmon with somewhat darker salmon-red blotch. An aristocrat among aristocrats. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.50.

Veilchenblau. Very tall, large dark blue, the best dark blue on the market. Fine importation scarce and much in demand. Recommended very highly. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.25.

COLLECTIONS OF PHENOMENAL GLADIOLI

3 of each (27 bulbs) for \$12.00 Postpaid 6 of each (54 bulbs) for 20.00 Postpaid



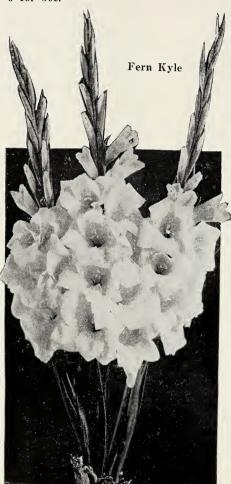
Jean du Tailles



# Alexander's Aristocrats

Carmen Sylvia. One of the largest and best pure white Glads to my knowledge. A gigantic snowwhite with very delicately penciled throat markings of lilac. A very strong tall spike. Flowers are as waxy and glistening as an Easter Lily. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.50 per dozen, 6 fer 75c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, 6 fer 50c.

Diana. We arful large flaming crimson. Unquestionably the best early red, and one of the most brilliant and showy. Strong sturdy grower and a dependable bloomer. Mammoth bulbs \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, for 50c.



Fern Kyle. Introduced at \$25.00 per bulb. One of the finest ruffled creations; flowers of large size, great beauty, and refined form. A most beautiful soft creamy-white, more delicate than a lily. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c.

Gold. The most beautiful of all the yellows, having the richest, deepest, pure yellow found in Gladioli. Excellent spike of perfectly formed flowers, truly exceptional. Mammoth bulbs, \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c, 3 for 40c.

Longfellow. Clearest LaFrance pink, with prominent lighter mid-rib. Large, wide-open flowers of excellent form and perfectly placed on tall spikes. One of the most beautiful. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c.

Mrs. Frederick C. Peters. A most delightful shade of rose-lilac with a soft blotch of rich crimson in the throat, making it one of the most unusual. A very late bloomer, which proves it a good addition to the Gladioli-world, because it comes into bloom after most other Glads have finished. \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c.

Mrs. Leon Douglas. Truly an Aristocrat, the giant of the Gladioli family, its remarkable flowers growing from four to six inches across, and produced on an enormous spike. In addition to its crowning glory,—the size—it has exceptional colorings; a beautiful begonia rose, effectively marked and striped with flame and brilliant scarlet. It has a lip of pale lemon, slightly speckled ruby. Mammoth bulbs, \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Pink Wonder.

pale geranium pink; phenomenal in size, many flowers are 6½ inches in diameter.

Mammoth hubs \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c; Medium sized bulbs \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

Prince of India. A very rare and Smoky old-rose, with deeper coppery markings and cdd red striped throat. Well named as its color brings to mind Indian turbans. Very scarce. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Violet Beauty. A very tall, large, red throat blotches. Very fine. Should be in every garden. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

### COLLECTION OF GLADIOLI ARISTOCRATS

3 of each ( 30 bulbs) for \$5.00 6 of each ( 60 bulbs) for 9.50 12 of each (120 bulbs) for 18.00 All postpaid

# **GOLD MEDAL GLADIOLI**

Albania. Purest glistening white, unquestionably one of the most pleasing of the white varieties yet developed. Its flowers are correctly placed on the spike; set just close enough together to close up the intervening spaces. Mammoth bulbs, \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

Dr. F. E. Bennett. This rare California creation seems to outrival the most brilliant poppies; a deep flame scarlet of most dazzling brilliancy; throat markings are of deep peach red, speckled ruby and white. Its flowers are the largest imaginable and many are open at one time. A Glad that I can highly recommend. Truly a remarkable creation. \$2.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.25; Medium sized bulbs, \$2.00 dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Gertrude Errey. Bright pink at edge shading to nearly white in the throat which is marked with a crimson feather. A tinge of glistening salmon lights up the whole flower making it very attractive. Many perfectly placed flowers open at one time. \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75. 3 for \$1.00.

Giant Nymph. One of the finest of the coral pinks, as well as one of the earliest. A giant among giants; a most beautiful LaFrance pink. Mammoth bulbs, \$3.50 per dozen, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Golden Measure. Gigantic blossoms of rich golden yellow, with no markings. Strong vigorous grower. Should be in every collection of exceptional Glads. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

Joerg's White. Immense cream white, which makes a great spike. \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Orchid Lady. One of the most phenomenal Glads perfectly lovely shade of clear orchid lavender with silvery sheen and a slight touch of cream in the throat. Its flowers are of tremendous size, making it one of the most desired of the rare Glads. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.25.

Pythia. The largest and best of the bright red Glads; a most beautiful crimson scarlet. Very strong grower. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c.

### COLLECTIONS OF GOLD MEDAL GLADIOLI

3 of each (24 bulbs) for \$6.50 6 of each (48 bulbs) for 12.00 12 of each (96 bulbs) for 20.00

All postpaid.



Mrs. Leon Douglas (See description, page 6)



# **FAVORITE GLADIOLI**

Crimson Glow. Large wide open crimson-red. Best commercial red. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c; Medium sized bulbs, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

Dorritt. White, striped and splashed much admired. Highly recommended. Mammoth bulbs, \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Herada. A favorite and rare color, der, or deep lavender purple. Very desirable. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, \$7.50 per 100.

Mary Pickford. The earliest very delicate creamy white, with soft primrose-yellow throat. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

Mrs. Dr. Norton. Giant flowers of delicate pink, shading to rose-pink, with salmon-yellow throat. One of the finest. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

Mrs. Frank Pendleton. Giant flowers of beautiful flushed salmon-pink with rich maroon blotch. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

Neoga. Rich dark garnet red with deeper throat; very prolific, producing from two to four spikes from one bulb. Ideal for mass effects, as it is a dwarf grower. Excellent in landscape work. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.00 per dozen, \$8.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

Peace. Giant glistening white, with purplish-red throat markings. Very late. Best commercial white. Exceptionally long strong spike. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

Rose Ash. Corinthian red shading to ashes of roses on the outer edges; lower petals light yellow heavily speckled with red. Very large, strong spike. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

Scarlet Princeps. Sometimes known as "Virginia." Soft raspberry red, shading to begonia rose. 6 for 75c, \$1.50 per dozen, \$10.00 per 100.

Schwaben. Large canary-yellow with red throat markings. Very late. 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

1910 Rose. Beautiful deep, clear rose; desirable. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for \$1.00, \$2.00 per dozen, \$15.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, \$5.00 per 100.

### SELECTED GLADIOLI

3 of each (36 bulbs) postpaid for \$3.00 6 of each (72 bulbs) postpaid for 5.00 12 of each (144 bulbs) postpaid for 9.00

# LOVELY PRIMULINUS HYBRIDS

Alice Tiplady. The finest of all the primulinus Hybrids, a lovely blend of salmon-apricot and orange. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 25c, 50c per dozen, \$3.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 25c dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

Gladdie Boy. Is of the Primulinus Grandiflorus type, retaining the delicate coloring so characteristic. Each petal is gracefully frilled; color is very distinctive, a blending of orange and red with a deep yellow center, making it very unusual and attractive. \$2.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.25.

Jewel. Light salmon pink with beautiful golden throat. The flowers are large and wide open on slender, graceful stems. Just as pretty as can be. \$1.00 dozen, \$7.50 per 100.

Ming Toy. Very large flower of finest form. Showy, deep buff-yellow throat. Tall plant. A sensation at the North Shore Horticultural Show at Lake Forest, Ill. \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

Orange Queen. One of the loveliest and daintiest among Glads. A beautiful clear rich golden orange. Long slender graceful spikes. \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Rosemary. Most difficult to describe; a very lovely creation, yet unusual — silvery-lilac sprinkled rose-pink. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 per dozen.

Souvenir. Beautiful rich golden yellow. Most exquisite when used with Larkspurs. \$1.00 ozen, 6 for 50c.



# ALEXANDER'S UNUSUAL GLADIOLI

Anna Eberius. Dark velvety-purple, throat shading deeper; wide open flowers of great substance. \$1.00 per dozen, 6 for 50c.

Aristocrat. A most unusual and difficult color to describe. Pale salmon-pink blending to deep orange with cream throat and a very distinct violet feathering. Slightly ruffled. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Baron J. Hulot. Brilliant pansy purple throat markings. Very unusual, and much desired. \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c.

Bengal Tiger. A very rare and attractive combination, which is distinctive both for its oddity and its barbaric gorgeousness. A peculiar shade of smoky-red, or reddish-salmon, — tiger striped. Mammoth bulbs, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75, \$3.50 per dozen; Medium size bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Byron L. Smith. A delicate lavender pink on a white ground; lighter in the throat. Almost fairy-like in its daintiness. \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Diener's American Beauty. Brilliant "American Beauty Rose" color, with prominent cream yellow throat. Many blooms open at one time. Very rare. Largest bulbs, 50c each, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

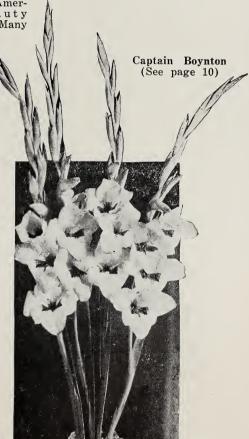
Dr. Moody. A most beautiful light lavender. People rave over this at the exhibitions, and it has won over the best of other lavenders all over the country. There is probably no better large flecked lavender grown, highly recommended. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.25.

Dr. Nelson Shook. This new rich deep Tyrian-rose Glad created a sensation wherever exhibited last season. One of the most desirable. 50c each, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Duchess of York. Well-formed, hooded flowers of clear asterpurple, medial lines lighter; throat distinctly marked pomegranate-purple with a blended border of pansyviolet. Vigorcus in growth with erect stems and well-placed flowers of good substance. A seedling of Baron J. Hulot and said to be an improvement on that variety, but we find it a distinctly different flower both in form and color. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Emile Aubrun. Rare French importation. Coppery bronze sometimes overlaid with slate; large cherry red blotch. Very large flowers. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for \$2.50.

Empress of India. Very dark maroon, almost black. \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c.





Capt. Boynton. Exquisite orchid or light lavender with a blotch of deeper lavender in the throat. Very large flowers of unusual beauty produced on a long strong spike. Mammoth bulbs, \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00; Medium size bulbs, \$2.00 dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Dick. Lavender purple with unusual throat markings. Very odd. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Exquisite. Brilliant deep crimson or wine red. Very rich and beautiful color. Rare. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Genevieve Bothin. Novel California creation of smoky oldrose. Very fine. \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Geraldine Farrar. Very choice, beautiful light blue. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Glorianna. A most beautiful golden-salmon, blending to yellow in the throat. Long spike, very lovely. 6 for \$1.00, \$2.00 per dozen.

Gloriosa. Yellow finely stippled light red, giving it a bronze appearance. Very fine, with five to eight perfectly placed flowers open at one time. \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Heavenly Blue. Rare German production of pale sky blue; considered the finest light blue on the market. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.50.

Helen Phipps. One of the very finest and most beautiful Glads yet developed.

Very similar to "W. H. Phipps" on a most exquisite rose-pink shade. Exceptionally fine. \$20.00 dozen, 6 for \$10.00, 3 for \$5.00.

Henry C. Goehl. Very large flowers of white, slightly flushed pink, with a conspicuous deep crimson blotch. Very attractive and unusual. Mammoth bulbs, \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs, \$2.00 dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Herbstzauber. Choice German importation, tall, late, large orange salmon, very beautiful large round flowers. \$15.00 dozen, 6 for \$7.50, 3 for \$4.00.

Jacoba Van Beyeren. A new one from the land of dykes and windmills. Large flowers of pure violet on tall, erect stems; well arranged on the spike and many open at

one time. Looks good in spite of its name. \$2.00 dozen, 6 for \$1.00

Kirchhoff's Violet. Tall spikes of perfectly placed blossoms of pure violet. The largest and best "glad" in this color. Heartily recommended. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75.

Henry C. Goehl. (See this page)

John T. Pirie. Mahogany brown, with yellow bordered darker throat. Tall and odd. Fine novelty. \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.



La Paloma. A wonderful shade, bright vivid orange, the most vivid orange I have seen in Flowers five to six inches across. \$60.00 dozen, 6 for \$30.00, \$6.00 each.

Mattie Belle. Very early, salmony-orange, with markings of apricot orange. \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Mona Lisa. Blush pink or soft palest rose-pink, very delicate. \$1.00 per dozen, 6 for 50c.

Mrs. A. B. C. Dohrmann. Venetian pink overlaid jasper red. Fine yellow stripe on lip, faintly spotted red. Very large flowers, long spikes, late. \$20.00 dozen, 6 for \$10.00, 3 for \$5.00.

Mrs. H. A. Caesar. Beautiful lavender-pink, a wonderfully beautiful shade. \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Mrs. Keur. Giant deep pink with yellow throat. Sometimes called "Roem Von Kenner-merland." Very popular. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Mrs. Robert Cunningham. Pale lavender or lilac pink, very tall immense blooms. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for

Muriel. A most exquisite bluishlavender with darker threat. Many flowers open at one time; one of the rarest and best blue shades. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c.

Naomen. Rich velvety wine color. \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

Pale blue with reddish throat. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Oh Boy. This rare creation attracted considerable attention in the garden last Fall. The significance of the name is easily realized, when seeing this variety, as it fits in with the natural exclamations of delight upon discovering the unusual and singular beauty in the mammoth blossoms of this brilliant red self-colored Glad. Flowers are often 8 inches across and many open at one time. Truly an aristo-

crat. \$10.00 dozen, 6 for \$5.00, 3 for \$2.50, \$1.00 each.

An exceptional Mr. W. H. Phipps. creation, -one of the finest yet developed; stands far above most of the best Glads we know today. La-France pink overlaid with rosy-salmon, lighter toward the center. Lower petals very faintly striped and speckled with ruby; flowers enormous in size. Mammoth bulbs, \$2.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.25; Medium sized bulbs, \$2.00 dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Paramount. A wonderful blending of pink and cream, exceptionally fine. \$3.50 dozen, \$1.75 for 6, \$1.00 for 3.

Gigantic salmon-red Parliament. Glyantic Samon white white begonia rose with white throat. Very rare. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for \$1.50.

Paul Pfitzer. Rare German creation, dark heavily ruffled Iris-violet. \$5.00 dozen, 6 for \$2.50, \$1.25 for 3.

Peach Rose. Deepest rose-pink, with rich deep red throat. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

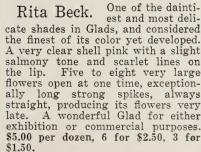
A remarkably colored Glad, Persia. having perfectly black buds, and blossoms of extremely deep red-on a mahogany tone,—so dark as to appear almost black. Mammoth bulbs \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

> Red Copper. Large flowers of deep rosy salmon, heavily flecked blue. A very unusual combination of colors and greatly admired. \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

> Rev. Ewbank. Light porcelain blue. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Richard Diener. color that is rare among Glads; a clear pure with a delicate geranium-pink sprinkling of ruby on creamy yellow center. Sometimes described as a live salmon-rose. Mammeth bulbs \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c, 3 for 40c; Medium sized bulbs \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

Rita Beck. est and most delicate shades in Glads, and considered the finest of its color yet developed. A very clear shell pink with a slight salmony tone and scarlet lines on the lip. Five to eight very large flowers open at one time, exceptionally long strong spikes, always straight, producing its flowers very late. A wonderful Glad for either exhibition or commercial purposes. \$5.00 per dozen, 6 for \$2.50, 3 for



Romance. Salmon-rose bordered blue, odd and pleasing novelty. \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Rose Mulberry. Its name properly describes it, very rare and unusual shade. \$10.00 dezen. 6 for \$5.00.

Rotary Pink. A most beautiful and rare shade, - between water-melon red and coral pink with a lovely rose blending; its throat feathered rose-dore with a dainty white dash. Early bloomer. \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.



Carmen Sylvia

(See page 6)



Royal Lavender. Deep lavender shading lighter towards center, heavy penciling of trifle deeper shade on lower petals. An exceptionally fine creation. \$30.00 dozen, 6 for \$15.00. \$3.00 each.

A beautiful light coral, some-what similar to "Alice Tip-Sheila. lady," but with more salmon shading than orange. Very early. Mammoth bulbs \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Sweet Lavender. Very light lavender, with a deep lavender throat; early bloomer. \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c.

Thomas A. Edison. The finest dark red to my knowledge, very large, heavily ruffled, deep red. \$100.00 dozen, 6 for \$50.00, \$10.00 each.

Beautiful soft creamy Virginia Hale. salmon-rose, blending to deeper rose toward the border; with a very lovely cream throat. One of the loveliest. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

White Wonder. Large white with attractive pink stripes and markings. Mammoth bulbs \$2.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.25, 3 for 75c; Medium sized bulbs \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Willis E. Fryer. Very large sturdy grower; tall spike; beautiful rich deep purple with yellow throat markings; one of the best. Mammoth bulbs \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Wm. Kent. One of the most exquisite, creamy shell pink blending to gold; very lovely, long spike, often eight to ten flowers open at one time. \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.

### COLLECTION OF

UNUSUAL GLADIOLI

3 of each of 49 distinct varieties, 147 bulbs, for \$35.00 postpaid, with the following varieties omitted: Helen Phipps, Herbstzauber, La Paloma, Mrs. Dohrmann, Oh Boy, Rose Mulberry, Royal Lavender, Thomas A. Edison.

# **GLADIOLUS MIXTURES**

This mixture Select Mixture. cludes all dependable large-flowered varieties of a very good assortment of colors from white, thru the various shades of yellow, salmon, red and pink, to the deepest maroons and purples.

15 Large bulbs, all different \$1.00

50 Large flowering bulbs

### Cheapest Mixture of Gladioli.

This mixture includes an assortment of colors and shades, principally of the Primulinus type.

50 Large bulbs for

100 Medium sized bulbs for 1.00

200 Tiny bulbs for 1.00

### RELIABLE COLLECTION

Alice Tiplady	apricot-orange
Crimson Glow	crimson red
E. J. Shaylor	ruffled rose pink
Halley	giant salmon
Herada	orchid lavender
Mary Pickford	cream white
Mrs. Dr. Norton	pink and yellow
Mrs. Frank Pendlet	on blotched
Neoga	ruffled dark red
Principine	red, white throat
Wilbrink	early lilac pink
1910 Rose	brilliant rose-pink

1 each of above for \$1.00

Very Best Mixture of Gladioli. Selected from named varieties, including all large-flowered types, and a very complete assortment of colors.

12 Large flowering bulbs \$1.00 25 Large flowering bulbs 2.00 100 Large flowering bulbs 7.50

Standard Mixture of Gladioli.

This mixture includes an assortment of both the largest flowering and the dainty primulinus varieties, many different colors are to be found in this mixture.

25 Large-flowering bulbs for 100 Large-flowering bulbs for \$1.00 3.50

50 Medium sized bulbs for 1.00 100 Small sized bulbs for 1.00

(The large and medium sized bulbs will practically all bloom this year. The small bulbs will all bloom next year and from 40 to 75% will bloom this year, varying according to the amount of moisture and care they receive.)

### SURPRISE COLLECTION

	40 bulbs, 8 distinct colors, for \$2.0	0
5	America, lavender-pink \$	.25
5	Halley, salmon	.25
5	Herada, orchid-lavender	.50
5	Mrs. F. Pendleton, blotched	.50
5	Neoga, velvety deep maroon	.50
5	Panama, clear rose-pink	.25
	Principine, red, large white throat	.25

5 Wilbrink, blush-lilac .25

\$2.75

The above collection for \$2.00



# ALEXANDER'S CHOICE RUFFLED GLADIOLI

Annie Laurie. A real gem. White, flushed fresh rosy-pink, with ruffling of carmine-pink; the general effect is a dainty tone of pink. Mammoth bulbs, \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Anthony B. Kunderd. Large, intensely ruffled; delispread blush pink, lower petals primrose cream flushed pink at edges. Mammoth bulbs, \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

E. J. Shaylor. A very large beautiful deep rosepink. Awarded certificate of merit by Royal Horticultural Society of England. Tall, strong grower. \$1.00 per dozen, 6 for 50c.

Fontaine. One of the daintiest of all Glads. A very pale clear apple-blossom pink, with slight tints of salmon. Very exceptional. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00.

Hestia. Beautiful salmon-red blending to strawberry red. \$2.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.25.

Marie Kunderd. Flowers of purest white with an almost invisible soft pink line in the center of lower petal. Very early bloomer. Winner of bronze medal of the American Gladiolus Society; a variety of exceptional merit. Mammoth bulbs, \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Pink Lily. Magnificently ruffled deep clear rosepink, very beautiful. Deeper rose-pink blotch in throat. Mammoth bulbs, \$2.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.25; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Purple Glory. An extraordinary Glad, which is beautifully ruffled. Deepest velvety maroon-red, with almost black blotches. One of the largest ruffled Glads. Mammoth bulbs for \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.00 dozen, 6 for 50c.

### COLLECTIONS OF RUFFLED GLADIOLI

3 of each ( 30 bulbs) for \$5.00 6 of each ( 60 bulbs) for 9.00 12 of each (120 bulbs) for 17.00 All postpaid. Loeila (See page 5)

Remembrance. Beautiful salmon-pink with rich velvety maroon throat markings, making it distinctive. Very early bloomer, much desired. Mammoth bulbs, \$3.50 per dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00; Medium sized bulbs, \$1.50 dozen, 6 for 75c.

Serrata. This is an extremely new type with its petals heavily serrated and laciniated, making it desirable as a novelty. Clear creamy primrose-yellow \$3.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.75, 3 for \$1.00.



# STANDARD GLADIOLI



\$1.00 a dozen (See page 8)

America. The popular clear lavender pink. 6 for 25c, 50c per dozen, \$3.50 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 25c dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

Evelyn Kirkland. Beautiful salmon-pink with brilliant scarlet blotch on lower petals. Very large. \$1.00 per dozen, 6 for 50c.

Peach-pink, with lower petal blotches Gretchen Zang. heavily stained geranium-red. Late flowering. Large bulbs. 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 50c dozen, \$3.50 per 100.

Very large, early flowering rich salmon. One Halley. of the most popular. 6 for 25c, 50c per dozen, \$3.50 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 25c doz., \$2.00 per 100.

Very delicate clear blush, Le Marechal Foch. large open lily-like flower. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 25c, 50c per dozen, \$3.50 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 25c dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

Niagara. Primrose-yellow, occasionally flecked lilac. 6 for 50c, \$1.00 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100.

Panama. Large deep pink. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 25c, 50c per dozen, \$3.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 25c dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

Large carmine red with prominent white Principine. throat. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 25c, 50c per dozen, \$3.50 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 25c dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

Scarlet Wonder. Giant flowering, rich, glowing, scarletred; the most vivid and rich of the self-colored Glads. \$1.50 per dozen, 6 for 75c.

Wilbrink. One of the earliest; very delicate lilac pink, Mrs. Frank Pendleton, salmon-pink with deeper lilac throat markings. Mammoth bulbs, 6 for 25c, 50c per dozen, \$3.00 per 100; Medium sized bulbs, 25c dozen, \$2.00 per 100.

### COLLECTIONS OF THE ABOVE STANDARD GLADIOLI

3 of each (30 bulbs) for \$2.00 6 of each (60 bulbs) for 12 of each (120 bulbs) for 3.25 25 of each (250 bulbs) for 10.00

### GIFT BOXES

For the purpose of stimulating a greater interest in the Galdiolus, and believing many would be glad to send a few bulbs to a friend, we select and pack in neat boxes 25 bulbs of choice varieties, consisting of a select mixture of rare colors, all for \$1.00 prepaid. Also boxes containing one dozen good assorted Gladiolus for 75 cents, prepaid. These are all good flowering bulbs.

Your card can be enclosed if desired.



# Dahlia Aristoctats Phenomenal New Dahlias For 1931

Aurantiaca. Rare importation from Holland; a most abundant flowering, continuous blooming new creation on the favorite Autumn shades. A blend of buff and golden bronze, with distinctly twisting petals and very long stiff stems. \$2.00 each.

Jane Cowl. Exceptional Decorative Dahlia of

orative Dahlia of golden buff and old gold blending to apricot and rose at the center. Splendid formation, gigantic size, long strong stems. \$2.00 each.

Margaret Woodrow Wilson. Mammoth opalescent pink creation with exceptionally strong stiff stems. A remarkable creation of creamy white suffused pink, the reflex or reverse side of each petal being a deeper lavender pink. A very fine exhibition flower, and equally good

in the garden. \$1.00 each.

Waldheim Sunshine. Deep golden yellow shading to chrome vellow at the center, while the reflex is lightly suffused scarlet. Beautifully shaped flowers possessing long curling petals. Flowers six to ten inches in diameter.

\$5.00 each.

Yankee King. Exceptional creation of strawberry pink blending to spinel red at center. Gigantic flowers produced on long stiff stems. \$2.00 each.

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COLLECTION OF PHENOMENAL
NEW DAHLIAS FOR 1931

One of each, 5 distinct varieties, for \$10.00

One each of Aurantiaca and Margaret Woodrow Wilson for \$2.50 postpaid.



# Recommended Cut-Flower Dahlías

Al Koran. Early howering, the long stiff stems, ideal for Early flowering, very tall, cutting, of irregular curling petals and Decorative formation. Very beautiful, continuous blooming, golden yellow overlaid apricot. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75, 6 for \$5.00.

ing to old gold, each petal tipped gold. It is an early, continuous and abundant bloomer which makes it ideal as a garden variety. The combination of colors is very attractive, a most unique and pleasing blossom. \$2.00 each.

Jersey's Beauty. Andreas Hofer. tised dahlias in recent years, and fully deserving of its popularity. In color, a most beautiful soft sal-(See illustration.) This new Holland importa-

mon-pink, with a silvery sheen; each petal is gold tipped, making a very lovely color blend-ing. It is of true Dec-orative formation, a

very tall vigorous grower, with excellent long stiff stems, making it ideal for cutting, and decorating.

One of the

most adver-

favorite every-ere and one I where and recommend. highly 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 per dozen.

Mrs. I. De Ver Warner.

A blossom of soft orchid coloring and unquestionably a dahlia of great merit. Its charming color, very large flowers, and long, strong, stems made it the cynosure for all eyes at recent exhibitions.

A lovely, deep, mauve-pink, of perfect form, a true Decorative type which is impressive in its very large size, - without exception a leader among the bet-

ter dahlias. Extremely strong growing, very abundant blooming, and lending itself to either exhibition or garden uses with equal success. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

### COLLECTIONS OF RECOMMENDED CUT-FLOWER DAHLIAS

1 of each (5 varieties) for \$5.00 3 of each (15 bulbs) for 14.00 6 of each (30 bulbs) for 25.00

One each of Al Koran, Jersey's Beauty and Mrs. I. De Ver Warner for \$2.00 postpaid.

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> color, it is a most delightful shade of rose-pink blending to yellow at the center. In addition to its exquisite coloring, it has exceptionally long, stiff stems, - so long that this is one of the very best dahlias for cut-flower purposes that I have seen among the new creations. It is an especially abundant bloomer, flowering continuously from early July until killed by frost in October. Highly recommended. \$2.00 each.

Beatrice Slocombe. A perfect-ly formed Decorative flower of rich carmine-red blend-



# Long Stiff Stemmed Dahlias

IDEAL FOR CUTTING

Amun Ra, "The Sun God."

This very fine record of winning first prize for three consecutive years on the Pacific Coast. A gigantic flower of Decorative type; in color, a blending of copper and bronze, with orange and gold tints. 50c each, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

### California Enchantress.

A Hybrid Cactus dahlia of great substance, its flowers are of large size, and produced on very strong stems of wiry stiffness. In color it is a delicate shade of rose-pink to lavender-pink with slight blending of white toward the center, making it very beautiful. With three admirable qualities: size, erect stems, and sturdy growth, it is a splendid dahlia. 50c each, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Mrs. C. D. Anderson. One of the most attractive in my garden. A giant crimson-purple, described by many as a deep red. One of the most desired at my Flower Shop, possessing splendid stems. An excellent cut-flower variety; tightly quilled; perfect formation; long, stiff stems. A splendid keeper when cut Very striking when growing "en masse" in the garden. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Mrs. Carl Salbach. A beautiful lavender pink Decorative dahlia which has blends of deeper lavender toward the center. This sensational dahlia has remarkable length of stem, and is a perfect cut-flower and exhibition type, as it lasts so long after cutting. These stately, beautiful blooms are worthy of a place in any garden. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.



Sequoia Gigantea. Another gigantic Californian production of excellent habits. It is well named as it is as sturdy as the giant trees of California, and towers above other plants in the garden. An immense flower of buttercupvellow with a suggestion of red. The largest and best of the deep yellow Decoratives. A very broad well formed flower produced on stem as stiff as cane. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

#### COLLECTIONS OF LONG

### STIFF STEMMED DAHLIAS

1 each of above (5 distinct varieties) for \$2.00

 3 each of above (15 bulbs)
 5.00

 6 each of above (30 bulbs)
 9.00

One each of Amun Ra, Mrs. Carl Salbach and Mrs. C. D. Anderson for \$1.00 postpaid.

Every bulb sold is guaranteed to grow.





Six Cactus Dahlias For Cutting \$2.00

California Enchantress. A Hybrid Cactus dahlia of great substance, its flowers are of large size, and produced on very strong stems of wiry stiffness. In color it is a delicate shade of rose-pink to lavender-pink with slight blending of white toward the center, making it very beautiful. With three admirable qualities: size, erect stems, and sturdy growth, it is a splendid dahlia. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25.

Countess of Lonsdale. One of the old arrorites that for years has been one of the most popular. Today it is in great demand, because it is one of the most continuous and abundant flowering dahlias in existence. Its flowers are produced on long stiff stems, making it very desirable for cut-flower purposes. Salmon-red or cinnamon-red. One of the most beautiful of the autumn shades. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Effective. One of the very finest for cut-flower and garden purposes, because of its ability to bloom. It blossoms very continuously and abundantly, making it very much desired. In color, it is of the favorite autumn shades, a bright primrose shaded amber. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Mrs. Charles H. Breck. A very unusual combination of colors, rarely found among dahlias. This Hybrid Cactus dahlia is of rich, sulphuryellow, blending to rose-pink and lilac. Its stems are very long, stiff and upright, making it an ideal garden and cut-flower dahlia. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, \$5.00 per dozen.

Sunset Glow. Orange-scarlet, blending to yellow. A rare shade among dahlias. Splendid grower, good stems, must be disbudded.

50c each.

Rene Cayeux. Always a favorite and one really deserving of its popularity. This choice French creation is one of the most abundant flowering dahlias in existence, being literally covered with flowers until very late. It is one of the earliest and most continuous bloomers as well. In color, a rich clear glowing crimson-red. Highly recommended; one that will give satisfaction under all conditions. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

### COLLECTIONS OF CACTUS

DAHLIAS FOR CUTTING

1 of each (6 distinct varieties) for \$2.00; 3 of each for \$5.00.

1 each of Lonsdale, Rene Cayeux and California Enchantress for \$1.00 post-paid.



# **Exceptional Cactus Creations**

Alice Whittier. An exceptional Hybrid Cactus Dahlia, unquestionably the finest primroseyellow in existence. Excellent formation, long stems. \$2.00 each.

Andreas Hofer. This new Holland importation is the finest of the modern Cactus Dahlias I have ever seen. In color, it is a most delightful shade of rose-pink blending to yellow at the center. In addition to its exquisite coloring, it has exceptionally long, stiff stems, so long that this is one of the very best dahlias for cut-flower purposes that I have ever seen among the new creations. It is an especially abundant bloomer, flowering continuously from early July until killed by frost in October. Highly recommended. \$2.00 each.

Louise Slocombe. An entire Hybrid shade in Hybrid Cactus dahlias, deep rose overlaid amaranth pink with an exquisite silvery sheen. The general impression is that of silvery rose. An early and continuous bloomer, producing its large sized flowers abundantly. Another character of importance is the length of its stems, which are often 12 to 18 inches long and longer, and as stiff as cane, making it a very fine cut-flower dahlia. Recommended for either garden or cut-flower purposes. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75, 6 for \$5.00, \$10.00 per dozen.

Frances Lobdell. An exquisitely lovely mallow-pink blending to white at the center. profuse and abundant bloomer, remarkably good stiff stems. \$1.00 each.

MacGregor. Very large brilliant scarlet-red, excellent bloomer. Stems are long and stiff. Highly recommended. \$1.00 each.

Mrs. Estelle Lawton Lindsay. Very large Hybrid Cactus of deep scarlet blending to yellow. Long curling petals distinctly twisted at tip. \$1.00 each.

Shirley Brown. One of the favorite Autumn shades, a blend of old gold and orange. Very desirable for garden and cut-flower purposes, ideal for decoration, especially in large vases and jardinieres. \$2.00 each.

### COLLECTIONS OF EXCEPTIONAL CACTUS CREATIONS

One each of the above 7 distinct varieties for \$9.00, 3 of each for \$25.00. One each of Andreas Hofer, MacGregor and Shirley Brown for \$4.00.

### CACTUS DAHLIAS NELECT

This German impor-Kalif. tation is the largest and best of the brilliant scarlet Hybrid Cactus dahlias on the market, and one I can highly recommend. A truly majestic flower, perfect for exhibition or garden purposes. A rich deep glowing scarlet. A favorite everyscarlet. A favorite everywhere. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per doz.

25c each.

Libelle. Abundant flowering, rich bright purple. One of the best for cutting. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Marjorie Caselton. A very dainty Cactus dahlia of rose-pink with primrose-yellow center. Very continuous and abundant flowering. One of the earliest to him. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Mme. Henri Caveux. Pink with white center. Cactus. 50c each.



California Enchantress



### SELECT CACTUS DAHLIAS (continued)

Perle de Lyon. Pure white, with occasional lavender tints. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Tom Lundy. This California creation is one

Tom Lundy. This California creation is one of the largest of the Hybrid Cactus Dahlias, a perfectly gorgeous dark velvet red. 50c each, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Mrs. Ethel F. T. Smith. Giant cream white, its very long pointed petals making it very distinct in shape from other varieties, irregular formation. 500 each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.75, 12 for \$5.00.



Achievement. Largest Collarette dahlia grown. Rich velvety-maroon with collar of snowy white. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Directeur Rene Gerard. Gigantic Collarette importation from France. Violet-purple, with effective white collar. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Marley. Yellow occasionally tinted red, yellow collar. 25c each.

Virginia Lee. Velvety carmine, edged yellow; collar sulphur yellow. 25c each.

Maurice Rivoire (see illustration above). An excellent cut-flower dahlia, with long stiff stems, producing its dainty flowers rigid and strong. Flowers of single formation, the larger petals being a rich velvety maroon. To make this more effective, the golden yellow pollen disc is surrounded by a ring of pure white very short petals, giving the whole flower a very unique appearance. Very desirable for cutting and house decoration. 25c each, 3 for 70c, 6 for \$1.25.

One each of the above five Collarette Dahlias for \$1.00 postpaid.



# **Exceptional Dahlias**

Emperor, The. An exceptional decorative dahlia; its enormous size, its beautiful deep color; its perfectly formed flower and its extra long stem, make this a magnificent prize winner of highest quality. The flower is made up of long, flat, purplish-maroon petals — the color is so intense that it does not spot under any weather conditions. \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00.

Judge Marean. A glowing salmon-pink, with a touch of watermelon-red, exquisitely blending to iridescent orange, yellow, and pure gold. Excellent stems. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75.

Mrs. Harry T. Wright. One of the very finest dahlias on the market, and unquestionably my finest seedling. It is named expressly for and with permission of Mrs. Harry Temple Wright of Rockland, Mass., an enthusiastic lover of flowers. With blossoms of gigantic size, produced on exceptionally long, stiff stems, it holds a supreme place in the dahliaworld. A Decorative dahlia with blends of favorite autumn shades — a golden apricotbuff. Worthy of a place in the most exclusive garden. \$1.00 each.

Mrs. John L. Emerson. A favorite garden and

exhibition Dahlia that will produce six to eight inch flowers throughout the season. In color, a beautiful golden-yellow overlaid carmine-red. One of the largest and most attractive Decorative dahlias grown. Very long, curling, pointed petals make it a pleasing cut-flower dahlia. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00.

Paul Michael or California Gold. A Decorative dahlia of the soft, fluffy type. Can be grown to majestic size for exhibition, if shaded a week before showing. This variety is one of the largest and most beautiful and it is a pleasure to recommend it. Twice it has been awarded a prize for the largest dahlia in California shows. In color a rich pure gold, or deep orange buff. An early, continuous and abundant bloomer. Flowers are produced on strong plants of medium

height. Ideal for garden or exhibition. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75, 6 for \$5.00, \$10.00 per dozen.

Radio. Decorative. This phenomenal dahlia will produce flowers of greater size than any other dahlia I have grown; grown ordinarily (without forcing, etc.), it produces flowers eight to ten inches in diameter. In addition to its gigantic size, it is a continuous bloomer, producing its magnificent flowers on strong stiff stems. In color, a most attractive combination of deep "American Beauty" red blending to yellow at center, with tips of gold. It makes a very sturdy and vigorous plant and one that I can recommend to the most critical enthusiast. \$2.00 each.

### COLLECTION OF

### EXCEPTIONAL DAHLIAS

1 of each of above 6 distinct varieties, \$6.00; 3 of each of above (18 bulbs) for \$15.00; 1 each of Mrs. John L. Emerson, Judge Marean and Emperor for \$3.00 postpaid.



Paul Michael, pure gold, \$1.00 each



# Favorite Dahlias

Aida. Very rich, deep, crimson-maroon coloring. 25c each.

Billionaire. Golden bronze. Peony flowered. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Bonnie Brae. A very large soft rose-pink flower blending to cream in the center. Like a pond lily in coloring. Very soft and dainty in appearance, as its petals are not as "set" looking as a pond lily. A true Decorative type, an exceptional exhibition variety and also very effective in the garden. A variety which is much admired at the gardens. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.50.

Chieftain. Brilliant cherry red. Decorative. 25c each.

Dr. Tevis. A very large flower of salmonbuff suffused with rose, unusual in coloring. 50c each, 5 for \$2.00.

El Dorado. Large, tall grower; white tinted apple blossom pink. Very good for cutting. 25c each.

General Custer. Pale sulphur-yellow with a pinkish tint. Different from any other variety. 25c each.

Glorianna. An orange-gold and bronze blend, having a long stem and a large beautiful flower. Excellent for garden and cutflower purposes. 50c each.

Ismalia. Bright red Decorative, gigantic size, excellent long stiff stems. \$1.00 each.

Judge Alton B. Parker. Giant golden bronze with blends of apricot toward the center. 35c each.

Louise Finger. Pure white Decorative. \$1.00 each.

Millionaire. A giant lavender shading to white at center. Dwarf grower. One of the largest dahlias in existence, often 10 inches in diameter. A perfectly formed Decorative dahlia. Very popular. 35c each.

Mina Burgle. Brilliant fiery scarlet. 25c each, 6 for \$1.25, \$2.50 per dozen.

Mr. Crowley. Watermelon-pink with blends of golden yellow. One of the finest for cutting. Excellent long stiff stems. Highly recommended. Very attractive. 50c each.

Noir Alvarez. One of the finest of the darker colors in Dahlias, as it looks at times nearly black. A rich deep velvety ox-blood-red. An exceptionally fine Decorative variety of large size, which is always a continuous and abundant bloomer. The plants are tall and vigorous, producing flowers well above the foliage. Highly recommended for all purposes. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Purple Manitou. Brilliant clear purple. 25c each.

Pride of California. Mammoth rich "American Beauty" red; very tall vigorous grower, flowering continuously from early Summer until late Fall. Its perfectly formed flowers are produced on strong stems, well above the foliage. Decorative type. Exceptionally large. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50. \$5.00 per dozen.

Sanhican Blue Bird. Odd purple shade. 50c each.

Snowdrift. A pure white Decorative Dahlia of good form. 50c each.

The Eagle. A Californian creation of unusual formation resembling a giant Chrysanthemum. Its petals are long, narrow and irregularly twisted and curled. A beautiful canary vellow. 50c each.

U. S. A. Deep orange, very large, irregular formation. One of the most beautiful Autumn shades. \$1.00 each.

Washington City. White. 50c each.

Wm. H. Slocombe. The largest and best pale yellow Decorative dahlia to mv knowledge, a clear primrose yellow. \$1.00 each.

One of each of above 23 Favorite Dahlias for \$10.00. One each of Millionaire, Pride of California and Bonnie Brae for \$1.00.



### Giant Dahlias

Bashful Giant. One of the largest flowering Decorative dahlias in existence. Its gigantic blooms are excellent for exhibition, not only because of size, but also for its beautiful coloring. An exquisite apricot with buff and gold tints. One of the best. A very free and continuous bloomer. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, \$5.00 per dozen.

Elizabeth Slocombe. The largest and best of its color to my knowledge, and one that I can highly recommend at any price. Its immense flowers are produced on exceptionally long stiff stems, making it very desirable for cutting and exhibition purposes. A very strong vigorous grower. The brilliant purplish-garnet coloring makes it very effective in the garden. As the flower matures, it fades to a lovely shade of garnet. A very deep flower of Decorative type. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.75, \$5.00 per dozen.

George Walters. A wonderful Hybrid Cactus dahlia that I highly recommend. It is a dahlia of gigantic size, one of the very largest and finest on the market. In color, a beautiful shade of salmon-pink artistically blending to old gold. Its flowers are perfectly formed, of very good substance, and produced on exceptionally long stems, well above the foliage. A strong sturdy grower, equally desirable for exhibition, garden or cut-flower purposes. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Glory of New Haven. One of the most beautiful Decorative dahlias grown, and in my opinion the finest of the lavender shades. It might be described as a pink-mauve or silvery lilac. Its flowers are of large size, and are produced with remarkable freedom on long stiff stems. A very sturdy vigorous growing plant. An exceptional dahlia. 50c each, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Mrs. Elmer O. Drew. This immense new creation attracted considerable attention in my garden this past Fall. Its flowers are of tremendous size, — six to nine inches in diameter (without forcing or disbudding) and are composed of very long, beautifully curled petals. Rich purplish-maroon. Some would classify it as a Hybrid Cactus, but I think it nearer a Hybrid Decorative. Blooms very abundantly and gives complete satisfaction. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75, 6 for \$5.00.



George Walters

Sequoia Gigantea. Another gigantic Californian production of excellent habits. It is well named as it is as sturdy as the giant trees of California, and towers above other plants in the garden. An immense flower of buttercup-yellow with a suggestion of red. The largest and best of the deep yellow Decoratives. A very broad well formed flower produced on stems as stiff as cane. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

### COLLECTIONS OF GIANT DAHLIAS

1 of each	(6 varieties)	\$3.00
3 of each	(18 tubers)	8.00
6 of each	(36 tubers)	15.00
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All postpaid

One each of Bashful Giant, Elizabeth Slocombe and George Walters for \$1.00 postpaid.

#### OTHER GIANT DAHLIAS

Amun Ra	bronze and gold
Bonnie Brae	pink and yellow
Millionaire	lavender and white
Pride of California	dark red
Purple Manitou	purple
Claut Dal	1:a- fam 69.00

5 Giant Dahlias for \$2.00





# Ball-Shaped Dahlías

A. D. Livoni. A favorite old time, quilled, shell-pink, ball-shaped dahlia. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

D. M. Moore. Nearest to black of any dahlia on the market. 50c each.

Maude Adams. (Alexander.) Ideal New Show Dahlia. This wonderful introduction is unsurpassed in quality in every respect; in reality a model of perfection. I cannot speak too highly of this variety. The color is a pure snowy white, very effectively overlaid clear delicate pink. Undoubtedly one of the finest of the Show type. 50c each.

Miss Helen Hollis. (Alexander.) Gigantic Scarlet Show Dahlia. A sensational wonder and undoubtedly the largest and best deep scarlet Show Dahlia in existence. Blossoms are on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. Plant extremely sturdy and produces very luxuriant foliage. This acquisition can be highly recommended. 50c each.

Mrs. Lillie P. Hathaway. A lovely clear orange of perfect form. Very large. \$1.00 each.

Santa Cruz. A remarkably handsome variety of perfect form. The coloring of this variety is exceedingly wonderful — an exquisite deep lemon-yellow, artistically overlaid and blending a novel shade of salmon-pink. Exceptionally large and free-flowering. The plants are strong and robust, producing their gigantic flowers upon long stems. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Storm King. Reliable pure white. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Yellow Duke. Pure golden yellow. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

### COLLECTION OF

BALL-SHAPED DAHLIAS

1 of each (8 varieties) for \$3.00 3 of each (24 tubers) for 8.00

One of each of A. D. Livoni, Miss Helen Hollis, Storm King and Yellow Duke for \$1.00.



# Rare Novelties

Amy Peabody. Very large, with long wavy and curling petals, fully double early in the season, but as the season advances, semi-double flowers are usually produced. A very attractive combination of velvety purplishmaroon, with distinct white markings and tips. Each flower is different, as this variety produces all combinations of the two colors on the same plant. \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00, or 3 for \$2.50.

Bob Pleuse. One of the finest novelties of recent production, a deep velvety maroon distinctly tipped and splashed white. Its large size and ability to blossom abundantly make it an outstanding novelty. Flowers are both fully double and semi-double, and of beautiful irregular formation. \$2.00 each.

Herbert Hoover. Hybrid Decorative. This new creation has a most unusual and desirable color combination, making it one of the finest new dahlias. A brilliant orange with tips of white — one visitor to our gardens described it as pure white with heart of gold. In addition to being one of the most attractive dahlias yet developed, it is an exceptionally abundant and continuous bloomer. One of the finest two-colored dahlias I have ever seen and one that I can highly recommend. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00.

J. Herbert Alexander. Considering that this Incurved Cactus Dahlia is named for me, I will be as modest as possible in describing it. The plants have an upright pleasing style of growth and are remarkably free-flowering. Its flowers are of gigantic size, and the plants continue to produce good sized flowers thruout the entire season. The coloring of this dahlia is very beautiful, and is always a favorite wherever I have exhibited it. The center is a charming shade of golden yellow, excuisitely blending to clear deep salmon-pink. You will find this one of the best all-round Cactus dahlias in existence. \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00.



J. Herbert Alexander (See this page)
Mildred Alger. A rare novelty, pale sulphur yellow attractively striped, splashed and marked deep maroon. Free-flowering. \$1.00 each.

Talisman. An unusual Cactus creation, of rich deep crimson-red, the reverse of each petal being overlaid a most beautiful goldenorange. Each petal is gracefully twisted, showing tips of gold. Throughout the flower are very tiny thread-like petals, making it entirely distinct from any other variety. Excellent for exhibition purposes, but not recommended for cutting. \$1.00 each.

One of each of above Six Rare Novelties for \$6.00 postpaid.

# Finest Pompon Dahlias

Each variety in this collection harmonizes wonderfully, their colors blending perfectly when grouped.

Amber Queen. Very abundant flowering long stiff stems, ideal for cutting; in very heavy demand for bouquets at my Flower Shop. An unusually beautiful combination of amber beautifully edged apricot. Highly recommended. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Belle of Springfield. The smallest dahlia grown, very tiny, brick-red. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Jessica. Yellow, edged red. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.75.

Lassie. Buff blending to deep red. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Sunny Daybreak. Most perfect formation, exquisitely beautiful golden apricot edged red. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 per doz.

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Snow Clad. The most perfect pure white Pompon. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40.

One each of the above Six Choice Pompon Dahlias for \$3.00 postpaid. One each of Amber Queen, Jessica, Snow Clad for \$1.00.



# Novelty Dahlías

Directeur Rene Gerard. Gigantic Collarette importation from France. Violet-purple, with effective white collar. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Little Dorothy. A very unusual combination of colors not often found in dahlias; some flowers are white tipped or blotched yellow, others any combination of white, yellow and salmon. One of the most distinct of the Pompon varieties. Good stems and very free-flowering. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, \$2.75 for 6, \$5.00 for 12.

Maurice Rivoire. An excellent cut-flower dahlia, with long stiff stems, producing its dainty flowers rigid and strong. Flowers of single formation, the larger petals being a



Noir Alvarez (See page 22)

rich velvety maroon. To make this more effective, the golden yellow pollen disc is surrounded by a ring of pure white very short petals, giving the whole flower a very unique appearance. Very desirable for cutting and house decoration. 25c each, 3 for 70c, 6 for \$1.25, \$2.50 dozen, \$15.00 per 100.

Miss Nellie Gray. Decorative novelty of pale russet-tan, finely striped and splashed deep maroon. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40.

Pierrot. (Stredwick.) (Incurved Cactus.) A unique and striking novelty in color, of unusual grace and refinement of form, being composed of very long, tubular narrow petals, which are of a deep amber or orange-buff color, occasionally showing white tips. It possesses an individual refinement different from all other sorts. A splendid garden variety and creates a furore wherever exhibited. 50c each.

Uncertainty, or Miss Ruth. This variety blooms in every conceivable combination of scarlet, pink, and white. No two flowers alike.

35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Virdi Flora. Its flowers are green, the same color as its foliage. Flowers from one to two inches in diameter, and verv unusual. A decided novelty, but not recommended for cutting. \$1.00 each.

One of each of Seven Novelty Dahlias above, seven rare creations, for \$3.00 postpaid.

One each of Little Dorothy, Maurice Rivoire, and Pierrot for \$1.00.

# Choice Pompon Dahlias

Brunette. Crimson blotched white. No two alike. 50c each.

Challenge. White and deep maroon. Nearly every flower different. 50c each.

Golden Queen. Very abundant flowering, pure golden yellow. One of the very finest cut-flower dahlias I have ever seen, and an excellent Pompon. In very heavy demand for bouquets at my Flower Shop. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.75, 12 for \$5.00.

Guiding Star. Pure white. 50c each.
Ideal. Yellow. 50c each.
Little Beauty. Pale pink. 35c each.
Little Dorothy. White occasionally striped and blotched reddish orange. 50c each.
Little Jennie. Primrose-yellow. 25c each.
Midget. Odd shade of lilac. 50c each.

Montague Wootan. Wine-red neatly quilled. 50c each.

Purity. Pure white. 50c each.

Prince Charming. Purple, with cream white base. General effect is purple. 50c each.

Raphael. Deep maroon, free-flowering. 50c each.

Red Indian. Rich brilliant red. 50c each. Rosea. Lavender-pink. 50c each.

Rosebud. White heavily tipped deepest rose. 50c each.

Vivid. Brilliant scarlet. 50c each.

One each of the above Seventeen Choice Pompon Dahlias for \$6.00 postpaid. One each of Little Jennie, Vivid, and Guiding Star for \$1.00.



# DAHLIA BARGAINS

# 12 FOR \$1.95 POSTPAID

Achievement. Largest Collarette dahlia grown. Rich velvety-maroon with collar of snowy white. 25c each, 3 for 75c.

A. D. Livoni. A favorite old time, quilled, shell-pink, ball-shaped dahlia. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Bertha Story. A very fine dahlia. Large flowers of a clear rosepink in which white petals occasionally appear, adding to its attractiveness. A free bloomer and very desirable as a garden variety. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, 6 for \$2.50, \$5.00 per dozen.

Darlene. An exquisite shade of live shell-pink with a dainty blending of white at center. It is an early and continuous bloomer, excellent for florists' use. Flowers very uniform and perfect are produced on long stiff stems well above the foliage. I can recommend this Decorative dahlia highly for cut-flower and garden purposes. 25c each, 3 for 70c, 6 for \$1.25, \$2.50 per dozen.

Frank A. Walker. A fine Decorative cut-flower dahlia, which is a continuous and abundant bloomer. Very good for cut-flower purposes. Good florists' variety. In color a beautiful shade of lavender pink, deeper pink at the center. 25c each, 3 for 70c, 6 for \$1.25, \$2.50 per dozen.

King of the Autumn. A dainty orange-buff shade. One of the older favorites. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Little Jennie. Miniature soft primroseyellow flowers produced very freely, ideal cut-flower, house decoration and buttonhole bouquet variety. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Libelle. Abundant flowering, rich bright purple. One of the best for cutting. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.



Dahlia, Bertha Story, rose-pink, 50c each

Millionaire. A giant lavender shading to white at center. Dwarf grower. One of the largest dahlias in existence, often 10 inches in diameter. A perfectly formed Decorative dahlia. Very popular. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75, \$3.50 per dozen.

Pageant Beauty. Semi-double. Peony-flowered. Large orange with blends of gold and red. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Souvenir de Gustav Doazon. Large orangered Decorative. Very abundant and continuous bloomer. 25c each, 3 for 70c, 6 for \$1.25, \$2.50 per dozen.

Yellow Duke. Double rich vellow. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00.

Any Six for \$1.00

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### FLOWERING BULBS

### **ACHIMENES**

Ideal novelty bulb, recommended for pot culture. For best effects three or more corms or rhizomes should be planted in one pot. Beautiful deep green foliage, and beautiful flowers of unusual formation, different from any other flowering bulb.

Achimenes, Magnifica. Beautiful violet blue. \$2.00 per dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c postpaid.

Achimenes, Purple King. Good rich purple. \$2.00 dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c postpaid.

Achimenes, Supreme. Lavender with light center. \$2.00 dozen, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c postpaid.

### AGAPANTHUS

Agapanthus, Umbellatus. (Blue Lily of the Nile.) Rare flowering bulb, ideal for large pots or tubs for outdoor decoration on the poiazza or lawn. A splendid ornamental plant, bearing clusters of bright blue flowers, on flower stalks three feet tall. Lasts in bloom a long time. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00 postpaid, for mammoth bulbs; 60c each, 3 for \$1.75 for medium sized bulbs.

### **AMARYLLIS**

Amaryllis or Hippeastrum. The Gorgeous Amaryllis are one of our finest bulbs, excellent for house or conservatory. They have very large, lily-like blooms, beautifully formed and colored, ranging from the rose thru the cherry and scarlet reds, to the scarlets and deepest maroons. Some are shaded white, others with many combinations of stripes and variegations. All are different. For best results they should be potted as early as possible in the Autumn and allowed to root slowly. Their flower scape usually appears in February or March, after which the foliage commences to show. They should be kept growing until after August, then allowed to rest until flowering time. Do not disturb the roots if repotting is necessary. Mammoth bulbs, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 per dozen postpaid. Medium sized bulbs at 60c each, 3 for \$1.75, 6 for \$3.00 postpaid.

#### CALLA

Richardia Aethiopica. Calla Lilies. Oldfashioned well-known white Calla or Lily of the Nile. They prefer warm temperature, very rich soil and an abundance of water. They may be kept growing continuously, or given a season of rest, as desired. When resting, they should not be watered. Pot during September, October or November for blooms in January, February and March. Extra select bulbs 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen; Jumbo size, 50c each, \$5.00 dozen, postpaid.

Calla Elliottiana or Golden Calla. Rich golden yellow flowers, white spotted foliage. 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, \$5.00 dozen.

### BECONIAS

The tuberous-rooted begonias are one of the handsomest of our summer-flowering bulbs. Improvements made in recent years in size, texture and coloring are really phenomenal, with flowers frequently measuring from 3 to 6 inches in diameter. Their colors range from purest white, thru the most delicate tints of pink, yellow and salmon to most intense scar-lets and richest crimsons. Particularly desirable for planting in window boxes or in tubs or pots for piazza or lawn decoration. They enjoy a semi-shady location, and do well either in pots or in the open ground. They will produce more blooms if planted in a well drained soil, but enjoy plenty of enrichment.

Begonia, Single Tuberous-rooted. Any of

the following colors: Crimson, Scarlet, Salmon, Pink and White. 25c each, 3 for 70c, 6 for \$1.25, \$2.50 dozen postpaid.

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Begonia, Single Tuberous-rooted. Mixed, bry fine. 20c each, 6 for \$1.00, \$2.00 dozen, very fine. 25 for \$3.75.

Begonia, Double Tuberous-rooted. Any of the following colors: Crimson, Scarlet, Salmon, Pink and White. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 dozen, \$20.00 per 100.

Begonia, Double Tuberous-rooted. Mixed.

25c each, 5 for \$1.00, 10 for \$2.00.

Begonia, Frilled and Fringed Tuberousrooted. Any of the following colors: Red, Pink, Yellow and White. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00,

\$3.50 dozen postpaid.

Begonia, Frilled Tuberous-rooted.

25c each, 5 for \$1.00 postpaid. Mixed.

### CALADIUM

Caladium Esculentum or Elephant's Ear. Luxuriant tropical bulb, that grows well and succeeds in any of our Northern conditions. The bulbs should be harvested and cared for the same as Gladioli during the Winter. Used extensively for planting for lawn decoration. Their decorative value is particularly appreciated in public parks. They enjoy frequent cultivation and an abundance of water. Gigantic leaves often as large as an elephant's ear and very similar in shape, hence its name. When full size it reaches 4 to 6 feet tall, with foliage one to two feet long and 6 to 8 inches wide. The smaller bulbs are ideal for bordering a Canna bed. Heavy fertilization recommended. Jumbo bulbs, 75c ea., 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 doz. 60c ea., 3 for 1.75, 6.00 doz. 50c ea., 3 for 1.40, 5.00 doz. 35c ea., 3 for 1.00, 3.50 doz. Mammoth bulbs, Gigantic bulbs, First size bulbs, Second size bulbs, 25c ea., 5 for 1.00, 2.25 doz. Third size bulbs, 15c ea., 3 for .40, 1.50 doz.

Caladium, Fancy-leaved. Gorgeous summer foliage plants suited to growing in pots for table or conservatory decoration and also for bedding in shaded locations. The large broad leaves are streaked and blotched with a great variety of colors. Bulbs of extra Choice New and Rare varieties. Each 50c, set of 12 distinct sorts, \$5.00.



### CANNAS

Canna, King Humbert. The most popular of all Cannas, gigantic orange scarlet flowers surmount beautiful luxuriant vigorous deep bronze foliage. Tall. 3 to 5 feet tall, depending upon cultivation and fertilization. 25c each,

\$2.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.25.

Canna, The President. The greatest red Canna, possessing every desirable quality. Of immense size, unsurpassed in vigor, brilliant color, abundant bloomer. 3 to 5 feet tail, depending upon cultivation and fertilization. Appreciates an abundance of moisture. The finest green foliage Canna. 25c each, \$2.50 dozen, 6 for \$1.25 postpaid.

### CLIVIA

Clivia Miniata or Imantophyllum. A pretty lily-like plant of very easy culture, and most desirable as a house plant during the Spring and Summer months, remaining in bloom for a long period. Its flowers are about two inches long, borne in dense clusters from 5 to 15 flowers in each, in color a fine orange-red shading to buff. \$3.00 each, for Jumbo plants; \$2.00 each for Mammoth plants, and \$1.00 each for Third sized plants.

### CRINUM

Crinum Lily, also known as Angel Lily, Southern Lily, and Milk and Wine Lily. A novelty bulb from Texas. Produces a cluster of from three to nine flowers of large size. Pinkish white flowers, with faint wine colored shadings, on a tall stem. Flowers fragrant, blooming profusely all during the Summer and Fall. Fine for planting along fences and for the centers of flower beds. Jumbo bulbs, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 dozen; Mammoth bulbs, 50c each, 3 for \$1.40, \$5.00 dozen; First sized bulbs, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen; Second sized bulbs, 25c each, \$2.50 dozen.

#### ISMENE

Ismene Calathina or Peruvian Daffodil. grand Summer-flowering bulb, producing with great freedom large Amaryllis-like flowers of pure white. Fragrant. Keep the bulbs in a dry warm place and plant out in June. Bulbs can be taken up in October, and, after a few weeks rest, potted and flowered in the house for winter, or, kept over for planting out another season. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00 postpaid.

#### OXALIS

Oxalis, Bermuda Buttercup. Clear golden yellow, large flowers. 3 for 25c, 6 for 40c, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100 postpaid. Oxalis, Grand Duchess Alba. 6 for 25c, 50c dozen.

Pure white.

Oxalis, Grand Duchess Lavender. flowers. 6 for 25c, 50c dozen. Large

Oxalis, Grand Duchess Rosea. Deep pink,

6 for 25c, 50c dozen.

Oxalis, Grand Duchess Y shades. 6 for 25c, 50c dozen. Grand Duchess Yellow. Yellow

### SPREKELIA

Sprekelia Formossima or Jacobaean Lily. Closely allied to the Amaryllis, producing showy brilliant crimson flowers. Dormant bulbs planted in the border early in May will flower within 3 or 4 weeks after planting, or they may be flowered as pot plants during the early Spring months in the house. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen postpaid.

### SAUROMATUM

Sauromatum Simlense. Sometimes known as the "Snake Lily." A rare and curious garden bulb, with very odd flowers, and a curious luxuriant palm-like foliage. The leaf stem is a light green thickly dotted deep green. Gi-gantic bulbs, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00 postpaid.

### TIGRIDIA

Tigridia Conchiflora, Tiger or Shell Flower. A very showy novelty bulb, suitable for group plantings in the border, growing twelve to fifteen inches tall, and handled the same as Gladioli during the Winter. Flowers during August and September. Golden yellow spotted crimson, and bright reddish-crimson, center spotted yellow, included in this mixture. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen postpaid.

### TRITOMA

Tritoma Pfitzeri or Red-hot Poker, Flame Flower, Torch Lily. Flowers from August to October, on 18 inch to 3 feet long stems. Heads of bloom of a rich orange scarlet. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Tritoma Hybrids. All shades of orange-red, bronze red, and dull reds. 25c each, \$1.00 for 5.

Tritoma, Royal Standard. A distinct new creation, flowering from June to October. Good sized flower heads, an effective combination of bright yellow and rosy scarlet. \$1.00 each.

### **TUBEROSES**

Tuberose, Mexican Single Everblooming. Delightfully fragrant, flowering from July continuously until frost, producing from two to five flower spikes in succession. Charming single pure white. Jumbo bulbs, 10c each, 75c dozen, \$5.00 per 100; First sized bulbs, 5c each, 50c dozen, \$4.00 per 100, postpaid.

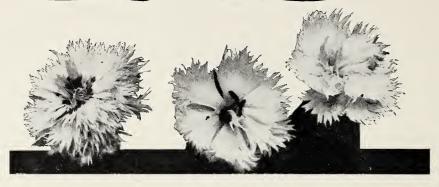
### ZEPHYRANTHES

Zephyranthes Alba. White Zephyr Flower or Fairies Lilies. Beautiful effective dwarf bulbous plant, very effective for massing in the border, flowering early in July and spas-modically all Summer. White. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Zephyranthes Rosea or Rose Zephyr Flower. Rose colored, large flowers. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen, postpaid.



# HARDY PERENNIALS



# **ACONITUM**

Summer and late Autumn-flowering plants with bold spikes of hood-shaped flowers, thriving in either sun or shade. The roots are poisonous and should not be planted where the tubers might be mistaken for vegetables.

Fischeri. A dwarf variety with dark blue flowers. September and October. 2 to 3 feet. This is the hardiest, best and most useful of all the Aconites. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 per doz.

Autumnalis. 3 to 4 feet. September-October. Large dark blue flowers in a raceme. 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 per doz.

Wilsoni. The true variety which we are herewith offering is the late Autumn-flowering kind, producing 6 to 7 tall spikes covered with beautiful mauve colored flowers. It is a very rare and lovely variety. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75, \$10.00 per doz.

Napellus. Upright, single spike reaching a height of about 3 to 4 feet. The straight spike is covered during July and August with dark blue flowers. Light shade and light clay soil is preferred. 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 per doz.

Napellus bicolor. The same habit and flowering time as Napellus, listed above. The flowers are blue and white. Looks very fine in clumps of six or more. 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 per doz.

Spark's Variety. July and August-flowering; tall branched spikes covered with deep blue Monkshood flowers. 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 per doz.

### **ASTER**

Beauty of Colwall. 4 ft. tall, flowering August and September. Charming double flowers of soft lavender. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Blue Gem. 4 to 5 ft. tall, flowering September and October, very large double flowers, glorious shade of rich dark blue. One of the handsomest ever introduced. \$1.20 for 3, \$3.50 for 10, \$24.00 per 100.

Climax. 4 to 5 ft. tall, August to October flowering, one of the finest hardy Asters, producing large flowers of clear light blue with

golden central disk. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Snowflake. 24 inches tall, August and September flowering, snow-white, fine. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

St. Egwin. 12 to 18 inches tall, September and October flowering, charming bright pink flowers, produced on strong symmetrical plants. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Thomas Ware. 2 to 3 feet tall. Very late, effective delicate pink flowers. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

### ASTILBE

Astilbe, Salland. 4 to 6 feet tall. Gigantic feathery sprays of rich red flowers. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10, \$30.00 per 100.

Astilbe, W. E. Gladstone. 12 to 18 inches tall, feathery plumes of pure white flowers. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10, \$30.00 per 100.

Astilbe, Gloria. 18 to 24 inches tall, July and August flowering, deep pink. 50c each.

Astilbe, Queen Alexandra. inches tall, July and August flowering, early flowering variety, soft creamy pink coloring, very lovely. 40c each, \$3.50 for 10, \$24.00 per 100.



# **AQUILEGIA OR COLUMBINE**

Aquilegia, Caerulea. 12 to 15 inches tall, May to July flowering, bright blue and white, long-spurred flowers. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Aquilegia, Chrysantha or Golden Columbine. 2 to 3 feet tall, May to July flowering. Numerous, fragrant, showy yellow flowers with long, slender spurs. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 19, \$18.00 per 100.

Aquilegia, Formosa, Long-Spurred California Hybrids. 2 to 3 feet

tall, May to July flowering. Large flowers of a bewildering wealth of delicate colors. Spurs long and fine. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

### RARE DELPHINIUMS

Following are a careful selection of the many improved Delphiniums, most of them imported varieties, the best creations of European hybridizers. These are far superior to the Larkspurs commonly seen.

Amos Perry. 2 to 3 feet tall, June to August flowering, semi-double flower, 2 inches across, sky-blue outside, and rosy mauve in the center, with a brown hue. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

Bay State Glory. An unusual variety with double delicate mauve blossoms. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

King of Delphiniums. 3 to 6 feet vigorous plants, immense size, gigantic spikes of double rich blue flowers, over 2 inches across, with large white eye. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

Langport Glory. Brilliant deep blue flowers, with large white rosette center touched plum purple. 90c each, 10 for \$7.50.

Moerheimi Improved. 4 to 6 feet tall, June to October. The finest of the white flowering Delphiniums. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

Mrs. James Kelway. 3 to 5 feet tall. Round compact spikes of semi-double, pale sky-blue flowers, with pink inner petals, and white eyes. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

Smoke of War. Big, bold flowers, semi-double, deepest reddish violet and purple, with prominent black center. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

Star of Langport. 4 to 6 feet tall, very large, single flowers, delicate pale blue, with large white eye. One of the finest Delphiniums. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

True Blue. Very showy flower of finest blue. 90c each, \$7.50 for 10.

Vanderbilt Hybrids. A very choice variety from one of the most exclusive collections in this country. All shades of blue and purple will be found in this rare assortment. \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00, \$10.00 per dozen.

Wrexham Hybrids. A world-famous strain of Holly-hock flowered Delphiniums developed in England, and unquestionably the finest yet created. \$2.50 each, 3 for \$7.00, \$25.00 per doz.

Wrexham Phenomenal Creations. The cream of the best Hollyhock flowered developments, exceptionally fine in colorings and of great size. A great surprise may be found in this assortment. \$5.00 each, 6 for \$25.00.

### LARKSPUR

### DELPHINIUM OR LARKSPUR

Delphinium Formosum, Hardy Larkspur. 2 to 4 feet tall, June and July flowering, rich blue, tinged purple, with white eye. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Delphinium Belladonna. Pale blue flowers, occasionally touched with mauve. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Delphinium, Bellamosum. Dark blue form of Belladonna. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Delphinium Grandiflorum Chinense. Slender Chinese Larkspur. 18 to 30 inches tall. June to August flowering. Beautiful flowers of varying shades of blue, lilac, mauve and pale blue, distinctly fine cut foliage. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

### Delphinium, Gold Medal Hybrids.

2 to 5 feet tall, flowering June and July, stately, decorative plants, for masses, beds, borders and clumps. The flowers range from light azure to deepest blue and from delicate lavender to purple. A splendid strain of high class Delphiniums for general garden effects. Assorted blues at 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

### LARKSPUR COLLECTION

2 each of the above (10 plants) for \$2.50; 3 each of the above (15 plants) for \$3.50; 6 each of the above (30 plants) for \$6.00.





Hardy Carnations

### BABY'S BREATH

Gypsophila Paniculata Flore-pleno or Double Baby's Breath. The double white form. \$1.20 for 3, \$3.50 for 10, \$30.00 per 100.

Gypsophila Paniculata Flore-pleno, Bristol Fairy. 2 to 3 feet tall. Flowering June to October. A highly improved form of the preceding, with flowers two or three times as large, beginning to bloom two weeks earlier and continuing throughout the whole season, blooming on the tips of new side shoots. The flowers are larger, double, with a clearness of color lacking in the older type; and graceful, delicate and misty as it was, Bristol Fairy is superior. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 for 10, \$50.00 per 100.

### **FOXGLOVE**

Digitalis ambigua or Yellow Foxglove. 2 to 3 feet tall, flowering June to July, medium sized yellow flowers, marked with brown. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Digitalis Purpurea Gloxinaeflora Rosea. 2 to 3 feet tall. A selected strain of charming rose colored flowers. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

### CANTERBURY BELLS

Campanula Medium or Canterbury Bells. 2 to 3 feet tall, flowering late June and July, very large bell-shaped flowers of blue, white, pink and mixed. Supplied in separate colors or assorted as desired. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Campanula Medium Calycanthema or Cupand saucer Bell-flower. 2 to 3 feet tall, flowering in July. The enlarged calyx is of the same color and texture as the flower, giving a cup-and-saucer effect. In Pink, Blue, White, and Assorted. Supplied in separate colors or assorted, as desired. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

### CHRYSANTHEMUM

Chrysanthemum Maximum, Burbank's Frilled. 24 to 30 inches tall. A gorgeous new Shasta Daisy, produced by the creator of the original Shasta Daisy. Large, white flowers, beautifully undulated and frilled, superior to all existing varieties in size, floriferousness, habit and form of flowers. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Chrysanthemum Maximum, Shasta Daisy. 24 to 30 inches tall, the original Shasta Daisy developed by Luther Burbank, one of the handsomest and hardiest. Remarkable for its extremely large flowers, desirable for cutting. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

### **BLEEDING HEART**

Dicentra Spectabilis. 15 to 24 inches tall, the finest of the Bleeding Hearts, an old time favorite, large rosy-red heart shaped flowers, produced during April and May. Desirable for planting in the shade. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 10 for \$6.00.



#### COREOPSIS

Coreopsis, Lanceolata. 18 to 30 inches tall, June to September flowering, large, cosmoslike flowers of pure yellow; an excellent showy garden plant, beautiful when cut. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

#### HELENIUM OR SNEEZEWEED

Helenium Autumnale. 4 to 6 feet tall, flowering from August to September. An elegant autumn plant with showy golden yellow flowers borne on the tops of branching stems. Suitable for planting among shrubbery. 99c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Helenium Autumnale, Riverton Gem. 3 to 5 feet tall, flowering from August to November. The flowers on opening are old gold, suffused with terra-cotta, changing as they mature to mahogany-red. 3 for \$1.00, \$2.70 for 10, \$20.00 per 100.

Helenium Autumnal Rubrum. 3 to 4 feet tall, flowering during September and October. In color, the flowers resemble the blood red English wall-flowers. Fine for cutting. \$1.20 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, \$24.00 per 100.

#### HELIOTROPE

Valeriana Officinalis or Garden Heliotrope. 2 to 3 feet tall, June flowering, numerous trusses of pinkish lavender flowers with a delicate vanilla fragrance. Foliage showy. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

#### HOLLYHOCKS

Hollyhocks, Double Varieties. All the following colors can be supplied, separately or as an assortment; apple-blossom, blood red, crimson red, deep rose, pink, salmon, white and yellow. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

Hollyhocks, Single Varieties. All the following colors can be supplied, under color, or as an assortment: pink, red, white, yellow. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

#### LIATRIS

Liatris Pycnostachya or Cat-tail Gayfeather. 2 to 4 feet tall, flowering from August to October, most striking and desirable, with great rocket-like spikes of pale purple flowers. Very showy and novel. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

#### HIBISCUS

Hibiscus Militaris or Soldier Rose Mallow. 3 to 5 feet tall, flowering in August, strong growing plant, large bush, mammoth light rose-pink flowers, excellent for late flowering effects, and for planting against shrubs or hedges. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10, \$25.00 per 100.

Hibiscus Moscheutos or Common Rose Mallow. 2 to 4 feet tall, flowering during August and September. Large flowers of light rosered. 90c fer 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

#### DAY LILY

Hemerocallis Flava or Lemon Day Lily. 18 to 30 inches, flowering May and June, blooms clear lemon yellow, very fragrant, trumpet shaped flowers. Fine for cutting, and ideal for massing, these make charming effects on the banks of streams and in clumps in the border or rockery. \$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10.

Hemerocallis, Apricot. 18 to 24 inches tall, May and June flowering, very pretty clear bright orange of excellent size. 3 for \$1.00, \$2.70 for 10, \$20.00 per 100.

Hemerocallis, Gold Dust. 18 to 24 inches tall, June flowering, very large golden yellow. 3 for 90c, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Hemerocallis, Kwanso Flore-pleno. 24 to 30 inches tall, flowering June and July, double flowers of rich orange-copper. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Hemerocallis, Cressida. A new creation, great improvement over the older forms, lovely orange flowers, medium height, blooms middle to late July, extending the flowering season on this beautiful lily considerably. Recommended very highly. \$2.50 each, 3 for \$7.00.

Hemerocallis, Mrs. A. H. Austin. Handsome large flowers, of deep golden yellow, produced late in July, making this one of the very best new creations. Grows about 3 feet high. \$2.50 each, 3 for \$7.00.

Hemerocallis, Mrs. W. H. Wyman. Another of the improved Day Lilies, a wonderful sort, the very last of them to bloom, 3 to 4 feet tall, making it a decided improvement over all existing varieties. \$2.50 each, 3 for \$7.00.

#### COLLECTION OF DAY LILIES

Four each of Flava, Apricot and Gold Dust (12 plants) for \$3.00.

Three each of Cressida, Mrs. A. H. Austin and Mrs. W. H. Wyman for \$20.00.

#### Alexander's Mallow Marvels.

A selected strain of the finest varieties of Hibiscus, gigantic flowers of Red, White and Pink shades, the richest shades obtainable, strong robust growers, highly recommended. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10, \$25.00 per 100.

Hibiscus Oculiroseus, the Crimson-eye Rose Mallow. 3 to 6 feet tall, flowering during August and September, very large snow-white flowers, with a quiet crimson center, very showy, does well in almost all locations, and like all the Hibiscus, does well in damp places. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10, \$25.00 per 100.



## **GERMAN IRIS**

The German Iris are the ones commonly grown, flowering in May.

#### NEW AND RARE IRIS

Alcazar. Standards of light bluish lavender. Falls of deep purple with bronze veined throat. 3 feet tall. 40c each, \$3.00 for 10, \$27.00 per 100.

Ambassadeur. Another rare French creation. Standards of lavender with smoky stains and crystalline texture; Falls, glorious purple with a silky velvety sheen of glowing crimson. One of the tallest, largest and most beautiful Irises in the world, highly recommended. 90c each, 5 for \$4.00, \$8.00 for 10.

Jacquesiana. Rare European production, deepest velvety maroon. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10.

Lent A. Williamson. Standards of mysterious lavender-violet with silky sheen; Falls, velvety purple with a dull blackish shadow and rich velvety texture. Center brightened by a showy gold-orange beard. Flowers very large on stems 4 feet high; exceptionally fine. 90c each, 5 for \$4.00, \$8.00 for 10.

Souvenir de Mme. Gaudichau. Splendid early variety, imported from France, clear distinct blue-purple, very dark and fine, tall stems. \$2.00 each, \$9.00 for 5, \$17.50 for 10.

White Knight. A beautiful, absolutely pure white variety, without markings, well formed, sweet-scented, 15 to 20 inches tall. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

#### CHOICEST GERMAN IRIS

Her Majesty. Standards of rose-pink; Falls, bright crimson, shaded darker. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Iris King. One of the most rare Europelemon-yellow; Falls of rich maroon, bordered yellow, of gigantic size. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Lohengrin. Standards and Falls of light lilac-pink with a soft silvery sheen, very handsome. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Loreley. Standards of light yellow; Falls of deep sea-blue with creamy edgings. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Madame Chereau. Standards and Falls, white, edged and feathered with lavender and pale blue. Tall and stately. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Nibulengen. Standards of fawn yellow; Falls of violet-purple on bronze, one of the finest smoky shades, gigantic flowers. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Pallida Dalmatica. Very tall lavender-blue, one of the finest. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Queen of May. Called the "Pink Iris." Most delicate rose-pink. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Rhein Nixe. Standards of pure white; Falls, deep violet-blue with white edge. Very large and different, one of the best European productions. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Princess Victoria Louise. Standards of sulphur yellow; Falls are rich plum bordered cream. One of the most beautiful and very rare. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Prosper Laugier. Standards of light bronze red; Falls of deep velvety crimson, veined at the throat. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Sherwin Wright. Fine golden yellow, the finest pure yellow Iris. 35c each, 3 for 1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

#### COLLECTIONS OF CHOICEST IRISES

3 of each of above (36 plants) for \$10.00; 3 of each (any six varieties) for \$5.00; 1 of each (any six varieties) for \$2.00.

#### SIBERIAN IRISES

Iris, Siberica. Rich velvety blue flowers, long narrow leaves, fine for border of water-garden. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, \$2.00 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

Iris, Siberica Alba. Pure white form of above, very beautiful and dainty. Same prices.

3 of above (6 plants) for \$1.00; 10 of each of above (20 plants) \$3.00.



# Japanese Irís

Flowering in July the rare Japanese Iris make fine plants for decorative purposes, especially for planting at Summer homes, where flowers are desired during July and August.

A. L. Sherwood. Extra good, two-colored flowers, three petals; lavender-blue and white. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Choiseden. Six petals, early, white bordered light crimson-rose. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75, \$10.00 per dozen.

Gold Bound. The very best pure white six-petaled variety, showy flowers, of enormous size, pure white with gold-banded center. Highly recommended. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, \$5.00 dozen.

Gingyoku. The best three-petaled white, very large, early, pure white, with orange bar. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Horen. Three petals; falls white with large orange blotch radiating into white. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Kagaribi. Beautiful all-lavender flower, except a yellow beauty spot in the center of each of its six petals. Very well formed flower. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25,, \$5.00 per dozen.

Kohio-Hare. Light lavender ground, mottled and veined purple. Three petals, very large. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Kuma-Fungin. (Excited Bear). One of the very largest and best; six petals, purple-blue, stigmas lighter, long orange bars, very tall grower. Exceptionally fine, highly recommended. 50c each, \$5.00 dozen.

Otomenewoode. Three petals, early bloomer, royal purple. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

Templeton. Extra good, six petals, violet-blue mottled pink and white. Extra large and exceptionally rare. 50c each, \$5.00 dozen.

Wasi-Bauri. Three wide petals, pure white veined violet-blue, uprights rhodamine-violet edged white. A wonderfully striking flower, very large strong vigorous grower. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25, \$5.00 dozen.

White Swan. Three petals, pure white with golden bar in center. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen.

One of each of the above 12 Rare Japanese Iris for \$4.00 postpaid. One large flowering clump of each for \$10.00. One each of Gold Bound, Kuma Fungin and Wasi Bauri for \$1.00 postpaid.

Iris Kaempferi. Mixed colors—mixed Japanese Iris, all colors, without names or colors given, at 15c each, 8 for \$1.00, \$1.50 for 12, \$12.00 per 100.



### **PEONIES**

The Peonies are among the noblest and most magnificent of our herbaceous plants. They are the "Queen of Spring Flowers," and are well adapted for massing in beds, and particularly valuable for planting in groups throughout the perennial or shrubbery border, where their brilliant hues add beauty to the entire surroundings. Their requirements are so simple — a good rich, deep soil; they are perfectly hardy, and produce their wealth of flowers in great abundance.

Time to Plant. Peonies may be planted with perfect safety any time from the middle of August till the ground freezes in the Fall, and in the early Spring until growth has advanced too far. September and October even as late as the ground is kept open is the best time, as they then make a root growth before Winter sets in, usually blooming the following Spring.

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After being transplanted, Peonies will not produce typical blooms the first season, many fine double varieties throwing single or semi-double flowers, and it is not until

the third year that the finest blooms are produced.

They will abundantly repay good care and nourishment; but they resent an over abundance of fresh manure too near the roots. Well decayed manure is far better. A division of the clumps at long intervals, when they become so crowded as to interfere with freedom of bloom; and the soil kept loose and free from weeds, is all that is necessary. Where grown for cut flowers, they should not be disturbed oftener than is necessary; where they are grown for the sale of roots, they may be divided every second or third year. Plant so the eyes will be from two to three inches below the surface. Lay roots flat. Do not stand them on ends.

### RARE JAPANESE PEONIES

These "Wonderful Glowing Suns" as they are termed are entirely distinct from any other type of Peonies, resembling the Single Peonies, but with an additional development making the stamens either crowned with gold, or transforming them into more elongated petaloids of the same color as the outer single petals, tipped gold. They are as yet comparatively little known, mostly found in collections of connoisseurs, where they awaken the admiration of all who see them for the first time.

Flashlight. A very large, globular, medium compact to loose bloom of Japanese type. First impression, a crimson-pink with golden center. According to color chart, the predominating color is tyrian rose; guards have light streak, center clear. The center is amber yellow, shading pink at base. \$2.00 each; \$20.00 per dozen.

Guards tyrian rose, center same as guards, tipped golden yellow. Medium tall, erect variety of good habit. Mid-season. \$2.00 each; \$20.00 per dozen.

Hity-Tity. A very attractive Japanese type, outer petals soft tyrian rose, center golden yellow; large flowers of wonderful color, very free flowering. \$3.50 each; \$25.00 per dozen.

Innocence. A medium-sized, flat, compact Japanese type bloom. General impression, pale-pink guard with golden center. According to color chart, lilac-rose; guards clear, center canary-yellow fading to cream-white, pale pink at base of stamens. Mid-season. \$3.00 each; \$30.00 per dozen.

#### **EXCEPTIONAL PEONIES**

George Washington. A large, flat loose bloom of semi-rose type. One of the brightest light crimson-red varieties. Guards clear, collar same as guards; center clear, uniform color. Stamens intermingled with petals. Blooming time mid-season. Habit of plant, erect, medium compact, medium height. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen.

Karl Rosenfield. The finest deep red Peony, a mammoth rich crimson-red. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00.

Sarah Bernhardt. A very large, beautiful, flat, imbricated, compact semi-rose type blossom. Flowers of remarkable size and freshness in huge clusters, and of unusual perfection in form. First impression is an appleblossom pink, with each petal silver tipped. According to color chart, a mauve-rose; guards clear, collar same as guards, center clear. Pleasant fragrance, late blossoming. Habit of plant, medium erect, tall, medium compact, growth strong. \$1.50 each; \$15.00 per dozen.



Mary A. Livermore. Beautiful deep rosepink, the best deep pink Peony. \$3.00 each, 2 for \$5.00, Clumps for \$6.00 each.

Therese. Considered among the existence, finest Peonies in existence, Considered among the three and without doubt one of the most beautiful. It is also one of the very largest. A lovely pale pink shade. \$3.00 each, 2 for \$5.00, Clumps for \$7.50 each.

COLLECTION OF **EXCEPTIONAL PEONIES** 

One sure-to-bloom half-clump of each of the above four distinct varieties for \$10.00.

#### **CHOICEST PEONIES**

Felix Crousse. The finest medium priced red, very desirable. \$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.00.

Festiva Maxima. Gigantic white with a captional crime.

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Welcome Guest. Most exceptional, very fragrant, blend of pink and white, gigantic size and very abundant bloomer. Highly recommended. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00, Clumps \$5.00 each.

COLLECTION OF

CHOICEST PEONIES One of each of the above three for \$3.00.

### LILIES

Lilium Auratum. The Gold Banded Lily of Japan; 3 to 4 feet tall, flowering in July and August. The pride of the Lily family, an aristocrat among aristocrats, with gigantic flowers of delicate ivory white closely dotted with chocolate-crimson spots and a broad gold band thrue each petal. Very effective in groups. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen, \$25.00 per 100. Giant bulbs, \$5.00 dozen, \$40.00 per 100; Mammoth bulbs, \$7.50 dozen, \$60.00 per 100.

Lilium Auratum Platyphyllum. The choicest of all Auratums. Enormous white flowers brightly spotted yellow. Extra selected bulbs, \$2.00 for 3, \$7.50 dozen; Mammoth bulbs, \$5.00 dozen, \$40.00 per 100.

Lilium Candidum, or Madonna Lily. Known the world over as the Annunciation or Madonna Lily. 2 to 3 feet tall, flowering June and July, one of the most popular garden lilies. Pure one of the most popular garden lilies. Pure white, very fragrant flowers, arranged like a snowy pyramid around a stiff tapering stem. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 dozen, \$25.00 per 100. Extra large bulbs, \$5.00 dozen, \$35.00 per 100.

Lilium Elegans. Mixed colors, usually scarlet, very attractive, varying from orange to deep maroon. 18 to 30 inches tall, upright flowers in erect clusters. \$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for

Lilium Formosum. The Japanese Easter Lily, excellent for forcing or growing out of doors. Large, white, trumpet shaped blooms. \$3.00 dozen, \$20.00 per 100. Mammoth bulbs, \$4.00 per dozen, \$30.00 per 100.

Lilium Longiflorum. Pure white, trumpet shaped flowers, excellent for cutting. One of the finest from Japan. Similar to the Bermuda Easter Lily. Flowering June and July. \$3.00 dozen, \$20.00 per 100. Mammoth bulbs, \$4.00 dozen, \$30.00 per 100.

Lilium Hansoni. Bright orange flowers spotted with brownish purple. \$1.00 each, \$11.00

Lilium Henryi. The flowers are dark reddish yellow, marked with small brown spots. \$1.00 each, \$11.00 dozen.

Lilium Regale or Regal Lily. 2 to 3 feet tall. Enormous white flowers shaded pink or purple with a canary yellow center. Undoubtedly the easiest of the white lilies to grow, will succeed anywhere. Selected bulbs, \$5.00 dozen, \$40.00 per 100. Extra select bulbs, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50

dozen, \$60.00 per 100. Lilum Speciosum Album. White Speciosum Lily. 2 to 3 feet tall, flowering during August and September. Large pure white, fragrant flowers, fine for planting among Rhododendrons. Select bulbs, \$6.00 dozen, \$50.00 per 100. Extra select bulbs, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.50 dozen, \$60.00 per 100.

Lilium Speciosum Roseum or Rubrum. 2 to 3 feet tall, flowering during August and September; large fragrant flowers, white blending to pale pink, spotted and overlaid with crimson; many pink dots. Very attractive. Ideal for group plantings. \$3.50 for 10, \$25.00 per 100. Select bulbs, \$5.00 per 10, \$40.00 per Extra select bulbs, \$2.00 for 3, \$7.50 100. dozen, \$60.00 per 10. Lilium Superbum, Turk's Cap Lily. 3 to 8

feet in height, grown anywhere; 20 to 30 orange-red flowers; flowering in July. \$3.00 dozen, \$20.00 per 100.

Lilium Tigrinum Splendens. Well-known single Tiger Lily; attractive reddish orange blooms spotted with black. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50

dozen, \$25.00 per 100.
Lilium Tigrinum Splendens fl. pl. Double Tiger Lily. Orange red spotted with black, the double form of the above. \$3.50 dozen, \$25.00



### **PHLOX**

### RARE PHLOX

Camillo Schneider. A very large flowering variety of brilliant crimson, that does not fade in the garden. The plant is stout, of medium height, and bears magnificent trusses of bloom. Remarkable for its vigor, brilliance, and floriferousness, and regarded as the best of this color. 3 for \$1.50, \$4.00 for 10.

Count Zeppelin. Very large, clean, white flowers with sharply contrasting scarlet eyes. The brightest and best of this type. \$1.50 for 3, \$4.00 for 10.

Daybreak. A very scarce sort of exquisite refinement of color, dainty apple-blossom-pink, softer and more delicately tinted than the much desired "Mme. Paul Dutrie." This is one of the very choicest colors. \$1.50 for 3, \$4.00 for 10.

Debs. The finest red Phlox in existence. A brilliant fiery crimson. \$1.20 for 3, \$3.50 for 10, \$30.00 per 100.

Deutschland. A rich scarlet and orange red variety, with a clear crimson eye. A distinct advance. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10, \$20.00 per 100.

Johnson's Favorite. Light salmon-pink with a dark red eye. One of the very best bright pink Phloxes. 3 for \$1.50, \$4.50 for 10.

Jules Sandeau. A very large, fine, pink, one of the very finest, always a favorite. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10, \$24.00 per 100.

Mrs. Milly van Hoboken. Bright pink with soft mauve suffusion. A splendid Phlox, unquestionably one of the finest new varieties. \$1.00 for 3, \$3.00 for 10, \$20.00 per 100.

Mrs. Paul Pfitzer. A splendid new German creation, recently imported, a very clear shade of light mauve-pink. A splendid addition to any collection. 3 for \$1.50, \$4.00 for 10.

Mrs. Scholten. Rich, dark salmon-rose of impressive size, very handsome. \$1.50 for 3, \$4.00 for 10, \$35.00 per 100.

One each of Daybreak, Johnson's Favorite and Jules Sandeau for \$1.50 postpaid; 3 of each for \$4.00.

#### CHOICEST PHLOX

Beacon. Brilliant cherry red. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Elizabeth Campbell. Bright salmoneye. Really one of the finest varieties. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Bridesmaid. White, light pink center. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Eclaireur. Bright carmine, with light halo. Very large. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Enchantress. Very bright salmon-pink. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Europa. White with decided crimson eye. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Jeanne d' Arc. Pure white, ideal for massing. 4 for \$1.00, \$2.00 for 10.

Julius Heurlin. Bright salmon-pink, very fine. 3 for \$1.00,

Miss Lingard. <sup>18</sup> to <sup>30</sup> inches, flowering June and July, usually two weeks in advance of the commonly grown Phlox. Very beautiful glistening white, with faint lilac-pink eye, glossy foliage, very desirable and highly recommended. <sup>3</sup> for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10. Pantheon Brilliant rose, one of the best.

Peachblow. Delicate pink, rose center. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

R. P. Struthers. Fiery salmon-red, very showy. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Thor. Lively deep salmon-pink, suffused and overlaid with a scarlet glow. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Victor. Large bright salmon-pink. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

W. C. Egan. Large, delicate lilac, bright solferino eye. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Widar. Reddish violet with large white center, very unusual and distinct. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

COLLECTION OF CHOICEST PHLOX 3 of each, 16 varieties, 48 plants, for \$10.00.

One of each of Julius Huerlin, Beacon and Widar for \$1.00 postpaid.



### **POPPIES**

#### RARE ORIENTAL POPPIES

Beauty of Livermore. 3 to 4 feet tall, enormous flowers, dark blood red, sometimes a foot in diameter, with crimped petals and glittering black center. Unrivalled in its barbaric splendor. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Goliath. 2 to 3 feet tall, one of the most effective, strong erect stems, producing enormous scarlet flowers in great abundance. 50c each, 5 for \$2.00.

Mrs. Perry. 3 feet tall. Beautiful shade of salmon-pink, one of the finest. 50c each, 5 for \$2.00.

Olympia. Semi-double flowers, extremely unusual in Poppies. They are brilliant scarlet overlaid with orange, giving them a blazing iridescent sheen. Extremely free-flowering. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Oriental King. Giant crimson-scarlet flowers, strong upright stems, one of the very finest. 50c each, 5 for \$2.00.

Perry's White. Enormous flowers of pure, satiny white, with a striking crimson base. Very effective. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Queen Alexandra. Beautiful clear rose-pink with salmon shades, very lovely. 50c each, 5 for \$2.00.

Salmon Queen. Soft salmon-scarlet, very handsome. 50c each, \$2.00 for 5.

### COLLECTION OF RARE ORIENTAL POPPIES

3 of each, above 8 varieties (24 plants) for 10.00.

#### GIANT BUTTERCUPS

Trolius Asiaticus Giganteus. Giant Siberian Globe Flower. 12 to 18 inches tall, giant orange flowers, suitable for cutting. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10.

Trolius Europaeus, Eleanor. 18 inches tall. Flowers clear yellow, double the size of Trolius Europaeus. Very fine. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10.

Trolius, Europaeus, Fire Globe. Dark orange red flowers, of unusually beautiful form and excellent size. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10.

Trolius Europaeus, Japonicus. 8 to 12 inches tall, beautiful semi-double orange yellow flowers. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10.

Trolius Europaeus, Orange Globe. 12 to 24 inches tall, very large rich glowing orange. 50c each, \$4.00 for 10.

#### POPPY

Papaver Nudicaule or Iceland Poppy. April and May flowering, 6 to 12 inches tall, these produce graceful orange, yellow and white flowers throughout the early Spring and spasmodically all Summer. Ideal for rockeries and the perennial border for early flowers. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Papaver Orientale or Oriental Poppy. 18 to 36 inches tall, flowering May to July. Giant glowing scarlet with black notch. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

#### PAINTED DAISIES

Pyrethum, Coccinea. Rich reddish-purple. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Pyrethum, Elsie Goodrich. Large, pale flesh pink. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Pyrethum, Hebe. Pure white, golden center. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Pyrethum, James Kelway. Large vivid scarlet. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Pyrethum, Rosy Morn. Rose-pink, very pretty. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10.

Pyrethum, Mixed. All colors. \$2.50 doz., 6 for \$1.25.

#### HELIOTROPE

Valeriana (Spurred Flower)

Valeriana Officinalis. The old-fashioned garden Heliotrope with pinkish or lavender flowers with Heliotrope fragrance; flowers in June and July; Height, 4 feet. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

#### YUCCA

Yucca Filamentosa. A stately foliage and flowering plant equally imposing in solitary or group planting; always conspicuous. The broad sword-like foliage is evergreen, while in mid-summer it shows great erect, branching stems, bearing a showy display of pendant, creamy white bells. Very fragrant; flowers in July and August. Roots 25c each, 2.50 per doz.; large plants, 50c each, \$5.00 per dozen.



#### **ACHILLEA**

Plants suitable for dry, sunny places. The dwarf kinds are useful for carpeting or for rockeries; the taller varieties as border plants.

Achillea. Ptarmica. "The Pearl." 18 inches tall, flowers August to October. Small heads of pure white flowers borne in great profusion on strong wiry stems. Fine for mixing with other cut-flowers. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

Ptarmica, Boule de Neige. New. An improvement on "The Pearl," with fuller and more perfect flowers. Best for borders; neat plant. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10.

Tomentosa. 6 to 8 inches. July to September. Bright yellow flowers. Excellent for rockeries. 90c for 3, \$2.50 for 10.

Aethionema (Persian Candytuft). These hardy little rock plants are of the most fascinating character. The foliage is a beautiful, glaucous blue; stems woody, and when covered with their heads of pink blossoms make a picture not to be forgotten. We supply pot plants only, as field plants are hard to establish.

They are almost shrubby in habit, and are improved by a slight cutting back after blooming. Stony, sandy loam is suitable for them and a warm, sunny position.

Persicum. Strong, twiggy bushes, covered with long, slender spikes of rosy pink flowers. One of our best rock plants. 9 inches. June-July. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Allium. Thibetica. Four years ago this variety was introduced from Thibet for the first time in England. We secured a few seeds and are now able to offer it in moderate quantities. Height 6 to 8 inches. Flowers on short stems in clusters are a lilac-mauve. Blooms during June and July. Excellent for rock garden. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.50 per doz.

Anchusa (Sandwort). An emerald mass effect of brilliant blue, the Anchusas cannot be surpassed. They should be treated as biennials, as the old plants exhaust themselves at the end of two or three years. They reproduce themselves, however, from self-sown seed. The blooming season can be extended for several weeks by cutting the spikes as soon as the flowers fade, thus preventing seeding.

Myosotidiflora. A distinct, dwarf perennial variety from Russia, with clusters of charming blue flowers resembling forget-me-nots. An effective rock plant for shady places. 1 foot. May-flowering. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

#### **ALYSSUM**

Very popular early-flowering perennials of easiest culture and all very free flowering. They all like a well drained soil and sunny position. Useful in the border as well as in the dry wall or rock garden.

Alyssum. Argenteum. Dense growth. Leaves silvery beneath, flowers yellow in clustered heads, all Summer. About 15 inches. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 per doz.

Citrinum. Similar to Saxatile, but flowers are pale citron-yellow. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 per doz.

Rostratum (Wierzbicki). Prostrate, almost shrubby variety, hoary grey all over. Flowers pale yellow, in unbranched heads. May to July. 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 per doz.

Alyssum, Saxatile Compactum. "Dwarf Goldentuft." 6 to 10 inches tall, April to June flowering, very showy for rockery or border, fragrant yellow flowers in clusters, silvery foliage. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

Serpyllifolium (Alpestre). Very dwarf. 4 to 5 inches high, with racemes of pale yellow flowers and rough, hoary leaves. Charming for the rock garden. Follows just after Saxatle is out of bloom. 3 for 1.00, \$3.00 per doz.

Spinulosum roseum. A rare plant with handsome silvery gray foliage; a neat, small-leaved species remaining longer in beauty than any of the others. For wall or rock garden. 3 for \$1.75, 6 for \$3.00.

Ajuga (Bugleweed). A useful plant for the rockery and for carpeting the ground, particularly in shady positions, as under trees and shrubs; flowers in May and June.

Genevensis. Grows 6 to 8 inches high; dense spikes of blue flowers. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Reptans rubra. Grows 3 to 4 inches high, with deep purplish blue flowers. 3 for 90c, 6 for \$1.50.

Androsace (Rock Jasmine). Many of them are difficult to grow, their worst enemy being early Spring rains. We are listing only the easiest. They require very gritty soil, the stones furnishing the cool moisture their roots enjoy. In sticky clay or hot, loose sand, they will soon dwindle and die.

Coronopifolia. A handsome variety producing large, milk-white flowers. Self seeds quite readily. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.75.

Lanuginosa Leichtlini. One of the easiest and best. Rosettes of silky foliage and heads of rose colored blossoms on stems about 6 inches high. From the Himalayas. June and July-flowering. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.



Aquilegia-Columbine Flabellata nania alba. A delightfully dwarf variety for the rock garden, perfect foliage and ivory-white flowers. The whole plant but 8 to 10 inches high. A quaint Japanese species. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Asperula. Odorata. 6 to 8 inches high. May. Increases rapidly and is used for carpeting shady places and in the rock garden. Heads of snowy white flowers. A fine, scented herb reminding one of new mown hay. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Arenaria (Sandwort). An emerald mantle for shady rocks. Myriads of white fairy, starlike flowers in May. One-half inch high. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Grandiflora. From the Pyrenees Mountains. Covers itself with pure, snow-white starlike flowers. One of the best of all rock plants. May. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.75.

Montana. Close tufts, profusely covered with small, silvery white flowers quite early in the season. Excellent as an edging plant in formal gardens and for rockeries in sunny places. Flowers resemble small, white, upturned morning glories. May. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.75.

Verna. A prostrate growing plant creeping low over the ground and between cracks in stones. Excellent for the rock garden and between flagstones. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

#### ARMERIA

Attractive dwarf plants that will succeed in any soil, forming evergreen tufts of bright green foliage, from which innumerable flowers appear in dense heads, on stiff, wiry stems, from 9 to 12 inches high. They flower more or less continuously from early Spring until late in the Fall. Very useful in the rockery and border edgings.

Armeria. Cephalotes rubra. 8 to 10 inches; deep pink flowers freely produced from a neat cushion-like plant. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Dianthoides. A dwarf plant with evergreen leaves and heads of light pink flowers. 10 inches. May-June. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Laucheana. Bright rosy red. 3 to 6 inches. May-June. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Maritima. 3 to 6 inches. May and June. Valuable for edging; flowers pale pink; foliage grass-like, evergreen. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Maritima alba. 3 to 6 inches. May and June. Tufts of deep green foliage; white flowers. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Mixed Seedlings. 18 to 24 inches. June to October. Large flowers of delightful white, rose and pink shades. Very useful for edging and cutting. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Arnica. Montana (Mountain Tobacco). An attractive border plant not very well known in America. Stems about a foot high with clusters of yellow daisy-like flowers. 3 for \$1.40, \$4.00 per doz., \$30.00 per 100.

Aubrietia (Rock Cress or False Wall Cress). One of the daintiest and most delicately beautiful of all dwarf, creeping plants for carpeting beds or rockeries, forming brilliant sheets of violet, crimson or rose for many weeks. Massed on rockeries or in borders with white Arabis and yellow Alyssum, it forms a charming contrast. A gem for planting in crevices or rocks or wall, forming a cataract of color.

Eyri. Rosy-lilac. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00. There are several other varieties of Aubrietia, but colors are so near alike that we have decided to list Eyri only. It is the hardiest and strongest of the lot.

Auricula (Swiss Primrose). (See Primula Auricula, page 44.)

Bellium (Alpine Daisy). Bellidioeides. A dainty little miniature of the Bellis perennis, except that it throws out numerous runners and so forms a wide mat, covered in Summer with small, white daisies. Fine for rockery. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

#### **CAMPANULA**

Barbata. Silvery blue bearded or hairy bells on stalks about 6 to 9 inches long are produced in June and July. It is a very unusual and outstanding plant for the rockery or border. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Carpatica (Carpathian Harebell). A pretty species growing in compact tufts not exceeding 8 inches high; flowers clear blue held erect on wiry stems. It begins blooming in June continuing until October. As an edging for hardy border or for the rockery it is unsurpassed. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Rotundifolia (Blue Bells of Scotland or Harebells). 1 foot. June to August. In the wild it is more slender and taller than in the garden; clear blue flowers. Especially suited for crevices in the rock garden or steep slopes, if planted to show pendent habit. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Sarmatica. A low-growing, much branched variety. Each plant with 8 to 10 stems not over 16 inches high. Covered with pale blue, bell-like flowers. Foliage a silvery gray. Splendid variety for rockery or border. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Cerastium (Snow-in-Summer). Tomentosum. A low-growing plant having silvery white foliage and producing an abundance of snow-white flowers. Especially suitable for rock or border purposes. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.



Cistus. Formosus. Fine, shrub-like plant for rockery with yellow flowers with dark spots. Fine plants for the south and hot southern exposures. Great favorites in the European rock garden. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Radiatus. Similar to above with orange blossoms. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Corydalis (Fumitory). Ornamental, early-flowering plants, especially useful for shady position but requiring good drainage.

Cheilanthifolia. Handsome variety with fern-like foliage and long spikes of yellow blossoms, 10 to 12 inches in height. Prefers rich, well drained, stony soil. Very rare and perfectly hardy; does well in shade. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Coronilla (Crown Vetch). Cappadocia (Iberica). A first rate and brilliant rock plant. Trailing habit. Glaucous leaves and large, rich, long golden flower heads in June and July. Three inches high. Called in England "Lady Fingers." 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Varia. A strong creeper; good for covering rough banks; showy heads of pink and white, pea-shaped flowers. 1 to 2 feet. June-August. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

#### DIANTHUS

Dianthus or Hardy Pinks

Dianthus, Allwoodi. Alwood's Pinks. 8 to 15 inches tall, May to October flowering. An everflowering race of Pinks, very fragrant, single and double flowers, on long stems, making them suitable for cutting or garden decoration. The colors run thru many shades of white, pink and crimson. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Dianthus Barbatus or Sweet William. 10 to 20 inches tall, flowering in June and July, flat heads of fringed flowers, many marked with a distinct eye, varying thru shades of pink, red and white. 75c for 3, \$2.20 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

Dianthus Barbatus, Newport Pink. An especially fine variety in a lovely salmon-pink color. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

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Dianthus Barbatus, Scarlet Beauty. Deep rich scarlet. 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

Dianthus Plumarius, Grass Pink or June Pinks. Fragrant, pink flowers, of our Grandmother's garden. Also in pure white. Either at 90c for 3, \$2.40 for 10, \$18.00 per 100.

#### COLLECTION OF HARDY PINKS

3 each of the above (15 plants) for \$4.00; 5 each of the above (25 plants) for \$6.00.

Edrainthus (Wahlenbergia). Dalmaticus. Low border or rock plant about 3 to 4 inches high, producing blue flowers not unlike the Platycodon; this plant is very rare. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Erinus. Alpinus Roseus. Pretty rosettes of foliage and racemes of rosy purple flowers. A first rate rock plant and also invaluable for establishing on old walls or between steps. 4 inches. May-June. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50.

Alpinus albus. White form of the above. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.50.

Erythraea. Diffusa. A charming little Alpine plant which does best in a dry, sandy soil in light shade. Because of these requirements, a very valuable rock plant. In Summer it is covered with clear pink flowers. 3 for \$2.25, 6 for \$4.00.

Geum (Avens). Coccineum Mrs. Bradshaw (Chiloense). A splendid new variety, with large, double flowers of a fiery red, blooming nearly all Summer. Peculiarly attractive. 18 inches. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Lady Stratheden. A new introduction of great merit. Rich golden yellow blossoms, counterpart of G. Mrs. Bradshaw. Fine for hardy garden. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Globularia. Trichosantha (Globe Daisy). A dwarf, tufted little plant with beautiful lavender flower heads. Does well in front of a well drained border and is a brilliant picture in the rock garden. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Jasione (Sheep's Scabicus). Perennis. Like a very dainty lavender-blue Scabiosa about 6 inches high, flowering in June and July. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Lactuca. Perennis. A charming little for the border or rock garden; light blue flowers freely produced. 14 inches high. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Leontopodium (Edelwiss). Alpinum. A well known Alpine with pretty white leaves and small yellow flowers which are surrounded by starlike heads of leaves, clothed with a dense white, woolly substance. A splendid plant for the rock garden. 4 to 5 inches. June to August. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.



#### **HEUCHERA**

Beautiful plants for front row of borders, with slender, fairy-like spikes of richly colored flowers; most striking in the garden, light and graceful for cutting. Excellent in wall or rock garden.

Brizoides. Has the same foliage and habit as Heuchera sanguinea, but the flower is pale pink, though three times as many flowers are produced. Blooms in May. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Rosamundi. We have carefully tested several varieties of Heuchera in all the pink shades during the past few years, and we find that this is the most desirable of the coral-pink sorts. It is a strong grower, not subject to any blight, and produces an abundance of fine coral-pink blossoms on tall, strong stems, which last over two months. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Perry's White. Pure white flowers which go well with the red and pink varieties, flowering from June to September. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Sanguinea. 12 to 18 inches. June to September. Flowers bright crimson; very free-flowering. Nice for cutting. Excellent for rock garden. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Sanguinea alba. Similar to the above, with white flowers. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Alexander's Hybrids. All shades of white, coral and pink. This is a mixture of free-flowering plants especially suited to create that "misty" coloring which is only possible with small flowers. Fine for borders along walks or beds. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

#### LINUM

A desirable plant for the border or rockery, growing 2 feet high, with light, graceful foliage and large flowers all Summer.

Alpinum. A rare species from the Dauphine, of prostrate growth with showers of pale blue blossoms throughout the Summer. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Flavum. Fine variety with transparent, yellow blossoms. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Hirsutum. Flowers reddish purple. A very distinct and rare variety and a beautiful, graceful little border plant. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Narbonnense. Forms a spreading clump of attractive foliage with a profusion of azure blue flowers with white eye. Very handsome for the rockery. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Perenne. Very attractive, both in foliage and bloom. Flowers beautiful pale blue on slender, graceful stems. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Perenne alba. White form of the above. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

#### LYCHNIS

A fine old-fashioned flower, bearing large heads of brilliantly colored flowers, that liven up the border during Summer and early Autumn.

Alpina. Dwarf, rose-pink. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Chalcedonica. Heads of vivid scarlet flowers, blooming a long time. One of the brightest plants in the hardy border. 3 feet. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Haageana. 1 foot. June to August. Very showy, producing orange-red, scarlet or crimson flowers nearly 2 inches across. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Lagascae. An excellent long, Summer-flowering Alpine 4 to 5 inches high with rosecarmine flowers; helps out greatly during the time there are not many flowers in the rock garden. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Viscaria flore pleno. A fine double variety; fine for cutting. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Viscaria splendens. Brilliant red. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Viscaria splendens alba. Flowering profusely in June and July; it is one of the best white flowers at that time of the year. 8 to 10 inches high; fine border plant. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Mazus. Rugosus. A dwarf and interesting alpine plant from the Himalaya Mountains, covered in early Spring with dainty lilac and white flowers. 4 inches. 3 for 65c, \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

Mertensia (Blue Bells). Virginica. An early Spring-flowering plant, growing about 1 to 1½ feet high with flowers fading to clear pink; one of the most interesting of our native Spring flowers. 3 for 55c, \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

Mimulus moist places. Summer large ers. Does also well in full sun. About 1 foothigh, somewhat spreading habit. 3 for \$1.60, \$4.75 per doz., \$35.00 per 100.

Mitchella. Repens (Partridge Berry). A little trailing evergreen. It forms fine mats under evergreens, and when once established, is sure to please. 3 for \$1.00. \$3.00 per doz., \$20.00 per 100.

Mitella (Bishop's Cap). Diphylla. A gem for a shady position. Feathery spikes of creamy white flowers. 12 to 18 inches. May and June. 3 for 55c, \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.



Micromeria. Rupestris. An attractive bushlet with pleasantly pungent foliage. Good for the rockery. 3 for 65c, \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

Myosotis (Forget-me-not). Nearly everyone is familiar with the Forget-me-not which makes such beautiful pictures in the garden in early Spring. They are alike charming in the border, rock garden, or by the waterside. They all like shade and a fair amount of moisture; use them freely as a ground cover for your Tulip or other bulb beds.

Palustris semperflorems. Large, rich blue flowers with yellow eye; a charming plant for damp places and a more profuse bloomer than the alpestris. 3 for 50c, \$1.25 per doz., \$8.00 per 100.

Palustris, Pink Beauty. Pink-flowered form of above; very fine Forget-me-not. 3 for 55c, \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

#### **NEPETA**

Nepeta - Ground Ivy; Catmint. Mussini. An excellent plant for any position, but especially useful in the rock garden. Of dwarf, compact habit, producing masses of bloom of a beautiful shade of lavender. 1 to 1½ feet. 3 for 65c, \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per

Nierembergia (Cup Flower). Rivularcreeping Alpine plant, bearing large, creamy white, cup-shaped flowers from June till September; most desirable plants for the rockery. Plant in early Spring only. 3 for 65c, \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

Oenothera (Evening Primrose). Elegant for a sunny position in the border or on the rockery, blooming all Summer.

Fraseri. 1 foot, June to October. Flowers large, pale yellow. 3 for 55c, \$1.50 per doz., \$10.00 per 100.

Fruticosa major. 2 feet. June to September. A strong growing plant, forming a dense, bushlike specimen; flowers deep yellow, in profusion. 3 for 65c, \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

Missouriensis. 10 inches. June to August. A low species with prostrate, ascending branches; profuse bloomer. Solitary flowers, often 4 inches across. Good for rock garden or border. 3 for 65c, \$1.75 per doz., \$12.00 per 100.

#### PHLOX

Phlox Amoena or Amoena Phlox, 4 to 5 inches tall, flowering in April and May, ideal for the rockery, slender erect stems, of bright pink flowers, very showy. A charming early Phlox. 3 for \$1.00, \$2.50 per doz., \$15.00 per 100.

Phlox, Subulata or Moss Pink. 4 inches tall, flowering May and June. Forms a carpet of moss-like foliage, covered with pink flowers, a superb ground-cover and rockery plant. 3 for 75c, \$2.00 for 10, \$15.00 per 100.

Phlox, Subulata Alba. The pure white form of the above. Same price.

Phlox Subulata, Lilacina. Soft lilac flowers, same form as the preceding. Same price.

#### PRIMULA

Splendid little plants for naturalizing near shrubs, in the border or shaded nooks and most places on the rockery.

Auricula alpina. One of the treasures of the rock garden. The growth is very attractive, forming rosettes of thick leaves, sometimes farinose or mealy. The flower stalks rise to a height of six or eight inches, bearing heads of bloom of various colors; exceedingly fragrant. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.75.

Bulleyana. A splendid variety for a boggy place, growing about 18 inches high. The strong, stiff stems have about 4 to 8 tiers of rich apricot flowers in June. A very valuable sort. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Cashmeriana. Large, globular heads of a pleasing purplish blue shade; prefers a moist, shaded or sunny situation. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Cashmeriana alba. A white-flowered form of the above. Very rare but as easily grown as the purplish variety. 3 for \$2.50, 6 for \$4.00.

Cortusoides. A distinct Siberian species, with soft, wrinkled, heart-shaped leaves. Flowers in early Summer, deep rose, prefers light, rich, well drained soil, in a sunny position, in border or rockery; 10 inches. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Moerheim Hybrids. A new strain of Hardy Primulas with the constitution of P. japonica. resulting from crossing of several. Colors range from cream to many shades of yellow, orange, purple, lilac, pink and crimson. They are very hardy and prefer a half-shaded position that is fairly moist; very unusual. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.



Polemonium (Jacob's Ladder). Album. A white variety of coeruleum. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Coeruleum (Richardsoni). Erect stems of sky-blue flowers. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. June to July. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Reptans (Greek Valerian). 8 to 10 inches. April to June. Dwarf, bushy plant of graceful growth. Showy blue flowers. Rock garden and fine border plant. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Prunella (Self-heal; Heal-all). Grandiflora. Violet or purple flowers shaded parts of the hardy border. Succeeds in any soil not excessively dry. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Pulmonaria Saccharata maculata. A lovely early Spring flower not unlike Mertensia, with pink flowers and when through blooming, the plant has beautiful silvery spotted foliage 12 to 16 inches high. Each, 75c, 3 for \$2.00.

Santolina (Lavender Cotton; Ground Cypress). A sweet smelling, dwarf, evergreen perennial, with delicate, silver-white foliage, useful as rock or border plants; also largely used in carpet bedding.

Chamaecyparisus (incana). 1 foot. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Scutellaria (Skull Cap). Baicalensis coelestina. Short, wiry stems, clothed with clear blue Snapdragon-shaped flowers. 1 foot. June to August. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

### SEMPERVIVUM

Curious and interesting plants, forming rosettes of succulent leaves of varying colors. Good for rockeries, dry banks, carpet bedding or walls.

Arachnoideum minus (Small Cobweb House Leek). Tips of leaves in rosettes usually connected by silvery threads, from whence its common name; flowers bright red, in few flowered panicles. 6 inches. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.75.

Arenarium. Small green rosettes in large numbers. Spreads rapidly and grows in any soil. A fine variety where a tiny plant is needed in large numbers. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Atroviolaceum. The largest of the entire collection. Forms a beautiful rosette, almost four inches in diameter when fully grown, of deep reddish purple leaves. Should be in every rockery. 3 for \$2.50, 6 for \$4.75.

Brauni. A very attractive rosette-like plant. Color of leaves is bronze, almost a dull red at tip of leaves. At the base a dull green. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Stachys (Woundwort). Lanata. Fine plant for edging; useful in rock garden; dwarf; soft silvery foliage; flowers useless. 4 inches. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Tiarella (Miterwort). Cordifolia. 6 to 12 inches. May. An elegant plant with fine foliage and small, creamy white, star-shaped flowers. Prefers partial shade. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Doellianum. Small, hairy rosettes of pale green leaves, tinted red at the tips. The panicles of bright red flowers are 4 to 6 inches high in June and July. Effective when grown in large masses. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Fauconette. Very similar to Brauni. The general makeup of the plant, however, is a little finer and more delicate. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Funcki. Green tipped brownish rosettes produced rapidly in great numbers. A very fine sort to use where a brownish color is desired. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Globiferum. Flattened rosettes, 2 to 3 inches in diameter, of grey-green leaves, lightly tipped brown. Pale yellow flowers, ¾ to 1 inch in diameter, in densely hairy panicles 1 foot high in June. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Tectorum. Broad rosettes, the leaves having reddish brown tips; flowers pale red. 1 foot. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Teucrium (Germander). Chamaedrys. Shrub-like habit. Excellent plant. Glossy green foliage, purple flower spikes in July and August. Good for neat edging. 1 foot. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Orientalis. Dwarf plant with good foliage producing an abundance of blue flowers; good for rock garden or border. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.50.

Tradescantia (Spiderwort). Virginica. Produces a succession of blue flowers all Summer. 2 feet. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.



### SEDUM

The dwarf varieties are charming plants for sunny positions in the rockery, etc., and the taller kinds make effective color groups in the border. They thrive in almost any soil. They are especially fond of sand and full sun, and may be considered the backbone of the American rock garden.

#### **DWARF VARIETIES**

Acre (Golden Moss). Much used for covering graves; foliage green; flowers bright yellow. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Aizoon. Bright yellow flowers. 1 foot. July and August. 3 for 1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Album. Dwarf and spreading, thick, waxy round foliage, white flowers; good rock plant. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Glaucum. Excellent dwarf variety for rockeries or border edgings. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Kamschaticum. Orange-yellow flowers, with prostrate, green foliage, turning golden in Autumn. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Kamschaticum fol. var. Similar to above, but has attractive variegated foliage. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Lydium (Often confused with Stahli, which is not hardy). Very fine rock plant. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Obtusatum. Golden yellow flowers, with emerald-green foliage, shaded bronze. 3 inches. 3 for \$2.00, 6 for \$3.00.

Pruniatum Forsterianum. Pretty glaucous, bluish green leaves of trailing habit, with golden yellow flowers. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Sarmentosum. Excellent dwarf variety for rockeries or border edgings. The best Sedum for filling seams between rocks in wall garden; rapid grower. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Sexangulare. Very dark green foliage; yellow flowers. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Sieboldi. Round, succulent, glaucous foliage; bright pink flowers in August and September. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Spathulatum purpureum. Reddish leaves with grey in center of the rosette. Dark yellow flowers, contrasting beautifully with the foliage. 3 for \$1.75, 6 for \$2.50.

Spurium coccineum. A beautiful rosy crimson flowered form; July and August. 6 inches. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Stoloniferum. One of the most desirable; evergreen leaves; flowers purplish pink; July and August. Excellent for rock garden. 6 inches. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Ternatum. This is the most satisfactory variety for planting in the shade; for ground carpeting under trees or anywhere it is difficult to make plants grow. Spreads rapidly and does well on all sorts of soil. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

#### **ERECT-GROWING VARIETIES**

Useful and pretty plants for the border, producing their interesting flowers during late Summer and Fall.

Spectabile. One of the prettiest erect-growing species, attaining a height of 18 inches, with broad, light green foliage and immense heads of handsome, showy, rose colored flowers; indispensable as a late Fall-blooming plant. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Spectabile "Brilliant." A rich colored form of the preceding, being a bright amaranth-red. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

### THYMUS

The charming Mountain Thymes make a perfect, close, fragrant carpet on hot, dry, sunny banks where grass is difficult to establish; they are a sheet of blossom in June and July. Excellent for carpeting patches of Spring-flowering bulbs.

Citriodorus. The golden yellow form of the well known "Lemon Thyme." 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Lanuginosus (Woolly-Leaved). Woolly foliage with bright pink flowers. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Serpyllum album (White Mountain Thyme). Forms dense mats of dark green foliage and

clouds of white flowers. 3 to 4 inches. June-July. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Serpyllum coccineum. Plants become completely covered with brilliant crimson-scarlet flowers. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Serpyllum splendens. A rapid, dwarf-growing variety; very hardy and excellent to cover bare spots, also good for the edge of walks or in the rock garden. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.



### Veroníca

A family containing some of the most beautiful subjects for the hardy garden and rockery. Given a rich, well drained soil in an open situation in full sun, they will all thrive in an amazing manner. All the varieties listed are A-1, and splendid for the border or rock garden.

Amethystina "Royal Blue." Beautiful spikes of rich gentian blue flowers. 10 to 15 inches. June and July flowering. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.25.

Erica. A heather-like Speedwell with delicate pink flowers. June-July. 8 to 12 inches. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.25.

Gentianoides. Beautiful variety with spikes of large flowers, palest blue edged deep blue, in June and July. 1 foot. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.25.

Incana (candida). 1 foot, July and August. A white, woolly plant; flowers numerous; blue. Has good appearance, both in and out of bloom. Useful in rockery or border. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Orchidea. Very handsome variety from the Balkans. Grows 2 to 3 feet in height and produces a profusion of clear blue flowers. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Repens. 1 to 2 inches. May and June. A useful rock or carpeting plant with light blue flowers. Not very hardy, we recommend Rupestris in its place. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Rupestris. A fine rock plant growing 3 to 4 inches high; thickly matted, deep green foliage, hidden in early June under a cloud of bright blue flowers. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Rupestris alba. A splendid prostrate variety for the rock garden and also well adapted for planting at the base of shrubbery in light shade. It is a fine ground cover, flowering in late May and June and completely covered with blossoms. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Rupestris flexuosa. Prostrate creeping plant forming a solid carpet of green which in late April and early May is covered with pale blue flowers 1 inch high. A-No. 1 rock plant. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Rupestris, Heavenly Blue. The same habit as Rupestris or Rupestris alba; prostrate; does well in full sun or light shade. Lovely in the rockery or at base of shrubbery. Completely covered with heavenly-blue flowers in late May or early June. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Rupestris nana. Prostrate and creeping, forming a dark green carpet of shiny foliage which is covered with deep gentian blue flowers in late April and early May; 1 inch high; one of the best early blue rock plants known. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

Rupestris nana rosea. Has the same habit and flowers the same time as Rupestris nana. The flowers, however, are mauve-pink. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

Spicata. 18 inches. June and July. Long spikes of violet-blue flowers. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Spicata alba. Long spikes of snowy white flowers. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.50.

Spicata rosea. 2 feet. June to September. Much branched variety with pink flowers. 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75.

Teucrium. Dwarf; spreading, of a dense growth; flowers blue. 6 to 12 inches. May-June. 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.00.

True Blue. Literally covers itself with blossoms of intense blue. 12 inches. June-July flowering. 3 for \$1.50, 6 for \$2.50.

### Mexican Love Vine

Antigonon Leptopus. Mexican Love Vine or Queen's Wreath. A beautiful perennial vine, with sprays of glowing pink flowers all Summer. The vine dies in the Winter and comes up again from the root in the Spring. The roots should be protected with a mulch of straw or rotted leaves during the Winter. Always plant on the south side of the house. This one of the most beautiful climbers grown. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00 postpaid.



## Ornamental Trees for Lawn Specimens

#### UMBRELLA CATALPA

Catalpa Bignonioides Nana. (Bungei.) A species from China that has large glossy foliage, very effective for formal gardens, its grafted heads making dwarf trees with large ball shaped heads. 2 year heads, \$2.50 each, \$5.00 for matched pair, \$22.50 for

#### FLOWERING CRAB

Malus Ioensis Plena or Bechtel's One of the most beautiful flowering Crabs and an ideal lawn specimen The tree is a miracle of beauty when in full bloom, producing double, fragrant flowers of delicate pink, resembling small roses. 5 to 6 feet, \$3.50 each; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.00 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50 each.

#### MAGNOLIA

Magnolia Soulangeana. A sturdy picturesque tree of moderate size, covered in the Spring with giant pinkish flowers before the leaves appear. Very handsome and one of the most ornamental flowering trees in existence. 3 4 feet, \$12.00 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$9.00 each.

#### GOLDEN CHAIN TREE

Laburnum Vulgare. A small tree with smooth foliage, deriving its name from the long racemes of golden yellow blossoms produced in June. It does its best in a cool sandy spot. 4 to 5 feet, \$2.00 each.

#### Japanese Flowering Cherries

This rare ornamental tree makes one of the most beautiful specimen trees available for lawn plantings, as individual specimens. They have the most beautiful double flowers, and greatly exceed one's expectation.

Prunus Avium Alba-plena. Double Flowered White Cherries. A handsome decorative tree with charming double white flowers. 5 to 6 feet, \$4.00 each; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.00 each.

A very flori-ferous Japan-Prunus Subhirtella. ese tree with pale pink flowers of great beauty. 4 to 5 feet, \$4.00 each.

Prunus Subhirtella Rosea Pendula. Weeping Japanese Cherry. Exceptionally decorative form, grown on tall, straight stem, from the top of which the slender branches sweep in a broad umbrella-like head. The flowers are various shades of bright pink. 5 to 6 feet,

Prunus, Kansan. Bright pink, true Japanese 4 to 5 feet, \$4.00 each; 3 to 4 feet, variety.

\$3.00 each.
Prunus, Naden. Lovely double pink. 4 to 5 feet, \$4.00 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$3.00 each.

#### FRENCH HYBRID LILAC

Alphonse Lavallee. Double pale bluish lilac flowers. 3 to 4 feet tall, \$2.00 each; 2 to 3 feet tall. \$1.50 each.

Double dark purplish Charles Jolly. red flowers, one of the st. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 darkest and handsomest. each.

Claude Bernard. Large, double bright lilac-mauve flowers in full trusses. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 each.

Jean Mace. Broad, compact panicles of irregular double flowers of bluish-mauve. Early

and very floriferous. 18 to 24 inches, \$2.50 each.

Ludwig Spaeth. Very attractive, dark red, single flowers, one of the very brightest of the dark red varieties. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each.

Michel Buchner. Dwarf-growing, with pale lilac flowers. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each.

Mrs. Edward Harding. Giant, full trusses

of large double bright carmine flowers. 18 to 24 inches, \$5.00 each.

Mme. Lemoine. Large, double, white flowers in immense clusters. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each.

Fine double vari-President Grevy. ety, with large panicles of beautiful pale blue flowers. 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each.

#### **HAWTHORN**

Crataegus Oxyacantha. Double Pink. form of the famous English Hawthorn with double pink flowers. 4 to 6 feet, \$2.25 each. Crataegus Oxyacantha. Double White. The

double white flowering variation of the preceding. 4 to 6 feet, \$2.25 each.

Crataegus Oxyacantha Splendens. Paul's Double Scarlet Hawthorn. A small tree, of fine habit, luxuriant foliage, and very double deep crimson flowers, with a scarlet glow. 5 to 7 feet, \$5.00 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$3.50 each.

#### PURPLE BEECH

Fagus Sylvatica Purpurea. The foliage of this low branching tree is very attractive. In Spring it is bright reddish-purple, turning beautiful purple-tinged green in Summer. Splendid for a lawn tree. 16 to 20 feet, \$25.00 each; 12 to 14 feet, \$20.00 each.

#### JAPANESE MAPLE

Acer Palmatum Atro-purpureum. leaved Japanese Maple. One of the rarest and most desired lawn trees. Very striking in the Spring, when its leaves are blood red; later as the season advances they change to dark purple, retaining this attractive color thruout the season. 3 feet, \$9.00 each; 2½ feet tall, \$7.50 each; 2 feet tall, \$6.00 each; 18 inches high, \$4.00 each.

#### PURPLE-LEAVED PLUM

Prunus Cerasifera, Othello. The Improved Pissardi. A handsome small tree with deeper color than the original Purple-leaved Plum, of which it is an improved variety. 8 to 10 feet, \$4.00 each; 6 to 8 feet, \$3.50 each; 5 to 6 feet, \$3.00 each.



### RARE FLOWERING SHRUBS

### **Azaleas**

Azalea Calendulacea or Flame Azalea. The most showy Azalea, and one of the most beautiful flowering shrubs, bearing a profusion of orange-yellow or flame red flowers before the leaves appear. 2 to 2½ feet, \$3.50 each; 18 inches to 2 feet, \$3.00 each; 15 to 18 inches, \$2.50 each.

Azalea, Kaempheri or Torch Azalea. A very handsome tall flowering variety with flowers which vary from bright orange-red to salmonpink. They all thrive in partial shade. One of the best of all for brilliancy of color. 18 to 24 inches, \$5.00 each, 10 for \$45.00; 15 to 18 inches, \$4.00 each, 10 for \$35.00, 5 for \$18.00; 12 to 15 inches, \$3.00 each, \$14.00 for 5, \$27.00 for 10.

Azalea Kaempheri Hybrida, The Hybrids of Azalea Kaempheri. A new race of hybrid varieties raised from the splendid Kaempheri, with very large showy flowers of various shades of rich salmon and orange. 18 to 24 inches tall, bushy, \$10.00 each; 15 to 18 inches tall, bushy, \$7.50 each, 3 for \$20.00.

Azalea Mollis. Chinese Azalea. Resembles a dwarf rhododendron somewhat, with good foliage, producing flowers of all shades of red, yellow and orange. Perfectly hardy, thriving in sunny positions anywhere. 18 to 24 inches, \$4.50 each, 5 for \$21.00; 15 to 18 inches, \$3.50 each, 5 for \$17.00.

Azalea Mollis, Louisa Hunnewell. A new Hybrid of Azalea mollis in the beautiful salmon-red or salmon-orange shades. Very profuse flowering. 15 to 18 inches, \$4.50 each; 12 to 15 inches, \$3.00 each.

Azalea Mucronulatum or Mongolian Azalea. The earliest of all the Azaleas, bright rose flowers, very beautiful, will grow six feet tall. 15 to 18 inches, \$4.00 each, 5 for \$18.00.

Azalea Poukhanesis or Korean Azalea. A low-growing Azalea with pale lilac-purple flowers produced very profusely. Utterly different from all other Azaleas. Hardy around Boston. 18 to 24 inches, \$5.00 each, 5 for \$23.00; 12 to 15 inches, \$3.00 each, 5 for \$14.00.

Azalea, Vaseyi or Pinkshell Azalea. Very lovely pale pink flowers, produced among the earliest, before foliage appears. Irregular habit with small slender stems, flowers in compact clusters. 18 to 24 inches, \$4.50 each, \$21.00 for 5; 15 to 18 inches, \$3.50 each, \$17.00 for 5.

#### BEAUTY BUSH

Kolkwitzia Amabilis or Beauty Bush. A handsome new shrub from Korea, hardy in New England, making very long sprays of graceful foliage, which is completely buried in delicate pink flowers like tiny weigela blossoms, tinted with yellow in the throat. One of the very finest modern introductions to the shrub list. 3 to 4 feet, \$5.00 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$4.00 each; 18 to 24 inches, \$2.50 each.

### RARE MOCK ORANGES

Philadelphus, Avalanche. One of the new Hybrid Mock Oranges that have been developed by the famous plant breeder, Victor Lemoine of France. These are the finest highly developed sorts, great improvements over the older types. A very handsome shrub, with slender, drooping branches, covered with showy white flowers, almost the whole length of the branches, whereby it justifies its name. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each, 5 for \$3.00.

Philadelphus Brachybotrys. New Hybrid with tall stems covered with large, pure white flowers. Exceptionally fine. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50 each, 5 for \$7.00.

Philadelphus, Lemoine. Another of Lemoine's rare creations, producing fragrant pure white flowers in clusters in June. Very desirable. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.00; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 10 for \$6.00.

Philadelphus Virginal. The finest of Lemoine's new Mock Oranges, a very handsome erect shrub which covers itself with exceptionally large double flowers in June and continues to bloom as its new shoots form, thruout the Summer and Fall. In sheer beauty and profusion of bloom it equals the best, and the habit of it flowering a little during the Summer and Fall adds a very valuable character. It ought to be in every garden. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.06.



### **DECIDUOUS SHRUBS**

#### BUTTERFLY BUSH

Buddleia, Davidi Magnifica. The Butterfly Bush flowers from August to October. It is also called the Summer Lilac as its flowers resemble the Lilacs somewhat. An abundance of fragrant rosy purple flowers with orange yellow centers. 2 yr. plants, 60c each, 3 for \$1.75, 10 for \$5.00.

#### **DEUTZIA**

Deutzia, Gracilis. Dwarf pure white. Ideal for front row on a foundation planting of shrubs. 18 to 24 inches, \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.50; 15 to 18 inches, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 10 for \$5.50.

Deutzia, Pride of Rochester. One of the tallest and best Deutzias, producing flowers in great profusion in July, when most other shrubs have finished flowering. 4 to 5 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 for 10; 3 to 4 feet, 60c each, 3 for \$1.50, \$5.00 for 10.

#### **FORSYTHIA**

Forsythia, Fortunei. Golden Bell. Profuse flowering; rich golden-yellow flowers early in the Spring, before foliage appears. 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00 each; 3 to 4 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 for 10.

#### HYDRANGEA

Hydrangea, Arborescens Grandiflora. Snowball Hydrangea. Clusters of white flowers, 3 to 4 inches in diameter, in July. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 for 10.

Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora. The well known Fall Flowering Hydrangea with immense conical heads of white flowers which become pink with age. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.00, \$7.50 for 10; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$5.00 for 10.

#### JAPAN QUINCE

Cydonia Japonica or Japanese Quince. Well-known flaming salmon-red flowers, very showy. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.25 each, 5 for \$6.00; 2 to 3 feet, 95c each, 5 for \$4.00, \$8.00 for 10.

#### **MOCK ORANGE**

Philadelphus Coronarius or Fragrant Mock Orange. Pure white delightfully fragrant flowers in June. 5 to 6 feet, \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.50; \$7.50 for 10; 4 to 5 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 10 for \$6.00; 3 to 4 feet, 50c each, \$4.50 for 10.

#### SPIRAEA

Spiraea, Van Houtei. The finest of all the Spiraeas. Gracefully arching branches covered in June with beautiful bunches of tiny white flowers. Ideal for mass plantings and for hedges. 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00 each, \$2.00 for 3, \$6.00 for 10; 3 to 4 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$5.00 for 10, \$35.00 per 100; 2 to 3 feet, 50c each, 5 for \$2.00, 10 for \$4.00, \$30.00 per 100.

#### SNOWBALL

Viburnum Tomentosum Plicatum or Japanese Snowball. Old time favorite, ball shaped pure white flowers, the true variety. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.25 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each, \$4.00 for 5.

#### WEIGELA

Weigela, Eva Rathke. Showy red flowers. 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.00; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$6.50 for 10.

Weigela, Rosea. Rose Weigela, the well known shrub, with bright pink blending to pale pink flowers. 3 to 4 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 for 10; 2 to 3 feet, 60c each, \$5.00 for 10.

Weigela, Variegata. A beautiful flowering Weigela, with the green foliage margined white. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00; \$6.00 for 10; 18 to 24 inches, 60c each, 5 for \$2.50, 10 for \$4.50.

## HEDGE PLANTS

#### BARBERRY

Berberis Thunbergi or Japanese Barberry. Ideal for hedging, or for mass plantings in groups. Sheared specimens make a very effective showing.

Height				per 10	per 25	per 100
12	to	15	in.	\$1.50	\$3.00	\$9.00
15	to	18	in.	2.00	4.00	12.00
18	to	24	in.	2.50	5.00	18.00
24	to	30	in.	4.00	8.00	27.00
30	to	36	in.	5.40	12.00	45.00

#### **CALIFORNIA PRIVET**

Ligustrum Ovalifolium or California Privet. Fine for hedging, making a neat border and giving a finished appearance to your lawn.

He	ight	per 10	per 25	per 100
15 to	18 in	\$1.00	\$2.50	\$8.00
18 to	24 in	1.50	3.00	10.00
24 to	30 in	2.00	4.00	12.00
30 to	40 in	2.25	5.00	14.00
40 to	48 in	2.50	6.00	15.00



### ROSES

#### HYBRID TEA ROSES

All Roses are 2 year old first grade bushes, with excellent roots. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 10 for \$6.00, any 6 for \$4.00, except where noted. (Ten different varieties, my selection, for \$6.00) or (Five different varieties, my selection, for \$3.00.)

Briarcliff. Bright silvery rose, slight golden base. Exquisitely shaped buds and blooms. Rapidly becoming one of the most popular garden varieties.

Columbia. An old favorite. Blooms very heavy, double bright light pink, deepening in the sunlight as they open.

Duchess of Wellington. Lovely, long coppery-yellow buds, which open to very large, semi-double pale yellow flowers.

General MacArthur. Long known as rose for the garden. Bright, pure color, one of the most floriferous.

Grauss Au Teplitz. Different from the other Hybrid Teas in its tall bushy growth, and rather small, nodding flowers in clusters. It is, beyond question, the best outdoor decorative red Rose in existence, making the best for mass planting; very abundant flowering. Rich velvety crimson, very fragrant.

Jonkheer J. L. Mock. A favorite variety, with enormous dark pink buds, opening to very large, very double flowers which are pale pink inside and almost crimson on the outside.

Kaiserin Auguste Victoria. Very popular white rose, whose flowers are the most perfectly formed of any grown.

Killarney Queen. The Killarney roses have always been popular; this is the best of the bright pink ones. The buds are splendid.

Killarney White. Exactly like the above, but snowy white in color.

Lady Hillingdon. One of the loveliest yellow roses, salmon shaded.

Miss Lolita Armour. Handsome, globular flowers, with many petals of coral or soft golden salmon, tinged with rose and yellow. A very attractve color combination, that is different.

Los Angeles. Generally considered one of the most beautiful roses ever grown. Flowers are pale flesh pink illuminated at the base with shining golden lights and stained with rose and amber.

Mme. Butterfly. An exquisite rose of firm texture and exquisite form, shaded with pale pink, cream and gold. It is universally acclaimed as a close approach to the ideal garden rose.

Mme. Caroline Testout. One of the finest clear rich pink roses in cultivation, very fine shaped flower.

Mme. Edouard Herriot.

Most sensational in its brilliant coppery-red color paling as it opens to shining strawberry-pink. One of the most striking roses ever grown.

Mrs. Aaron Ward. Yellow, sometimes shaded salmon and rose; some describe it as an apricot pink and cream. One of the best known roses.

Ophelia. Extremely popular variety; very similar to Mme. Butterfly, but much lighter, some seasons almost white; other years tinted with pink and gold at the base of the petals.

Radiance. Perhaps the strongest growing of the Hybrid Teas; exceptionally free-flowering, flowers bright pink, globular, almost fully double. Reports from all over the United States place "Radiance" first in desirability.

Red Radiance. Exactly like "Radiance" in habit of bloom, and flowering quality; but the flowers are a bright cherry red, instead of pink.

Talisman. Rich shadings of scarlet and gold; fine foliage and vigorous, very vividly colored, exceptional newly created variety. \$1.75 each, 3 for \$5.00, 10 for \$15.00, 100 for \$125.00.

Wm. F. Dreer. An exquisitely beautiful rose of the "Los Angeles" type, but much lighter and generally more strongly tinged with yellow.

Willowmere. Beautifully formed flowers of bright coral pink, illuminated with gold and yellow at the center. Very easy to grow.

Sensation. Properly named, truly a sensation, scarlet crimson flowers of great brilliancy.

Souvenir de Georges Pernet. Short, stocky plants with numerous stiff stems crowned with gigantic, brilliant, orange-pink blooms of very fine form. One of the largest roses and exceedingly striking.

Souvenir de Claudius Pernet. Clear yellow, the best yellow for the garden, plants very satisfactory, foliage especially fine.

Sunburst. The old-time favorite, yellow with a slightly deeper center.



#### HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES -

Frau Karl Druschki. The most popular white rose grown. Flowers beautifully formed, and freely produced from June until frost. 75c each.

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George Arends. Very large, lovely flowers of the "Frau Karl Druschki" type and the softest pink imaginable. One of the really fine Hybrid Perpetuals which no garden can be without. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Paul Neyron. Very bushy plants with gigantic double flowers of wonderful, old-rose pink. One of the most satisfactory. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Ulrich Brunner. Beautiful vigorous and free-flowering; covered with enormous purple-red flowers of great brilliance. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

#### **BABY RAMBLER**

Baby Rambler. Big clusters of light purplish crimson flowers are borne in great clusters, very profusely, all Summer. Plants are dwarf and bushy, making them ideal for edging beds of Roses, paths, fountains, pools or shrubbery borders. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

#### RAMBLER ROSES

Crimson Rambler. Beautiful crimson-red flowers, too well known to require further description. 50c each, 5 for \$2.00.

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Dorothy Perkins. Well known pink rambler.
50c each, 5 for \$2.00, \$35.00 per 100.

Dr. W. Van Fleet. The most popular climbing rose in the country; very strong growing, glossy foliage, bearing large, pale pink flowers of exquisite form on strong stems, suitable for cutting. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Mary Wallace. Bright golden pink flowers of great size and lovely form. Especially desirable for cutting; plants are strong with beautiful healthy foliage; occasionally blooms in the autumn. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

Paul's Scarlet Climber. Generally considered the reddest Rose in cultivation; covered in midsummer with a blaze of brilliant scarlet flowers. Not as strong growing as Crimson Rambler. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00. Silver Moon. A very strong climber with

Silver Moon. A very strong climber with beautiful waxy green foliage and very large, pure white, semi-double flowers with golden centers. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

#### SINGLE YELLOW ROSE

Rose, Hugonis. Flowering very early in May, this beautiful rose is very attractive, its long garlands of bright yellow single flowers creating a perfectly stunning effect. 2 yr. bushes, \$1.50 each, \$12.50 for 10.

### FRUIT TREES

#### APPLES

2 year, 5 to 7 feet tall, 11-16 inch caliber, \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.50, 10 for \$9.00, 25 for \$20.00, 50 for \$35.00.

Baldwin Delicious Gravenstein Wealthy McIntosh Red Red Astrachan Yellow Transparent R. I. Greening

#### CRAB APPLE

Hyslop. \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.50.

#### PEARS

3 year trees, 5 to 7 feet tall, \$1.50 each, 5 for \$7.00, 10 for \$14.00.

Bartlett Beurre d'Anjou Clapps Favorite Sheldon

#### PEACHES

1 year trees, 4 to 5 feet tall, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, \$6.00 for 10.
Crawford's Early
Elberta

J. H. Hale
Rochester

#### **ASPARAGUS**

2 yr., \$1.00 for 25, \$3.00 per 100; 3 yr., \$1.50 for 25, \$4.00 per 100.

Conover's Colossal Giant Argenteuil Martha Washington Palmetto

#### RHUBARB

Strong roots, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, \$3.00 for 10, \$25.00 per 100.

#### GRAPEVINES

3 year old plants, 60c each, 3 for \$1.50, \$4.00 for 10, \$36.00 per 100.

Concord, blue Delaware, red Moore's Early, blue Niagara, white Worden, blue-black

#### BLACKBERRIES

Strong Plants	per 10	per 100
Eldorado,	\$1.00	\$8.00
Rathburn,	1.00	8.00
Snyder,	1.00	8.00

#### RASPBERRIES

	per 10	per 100
Columbian, red	\$1.00	\$8.00
Cumberland, black,	1.00	8.00
Cuthbert, red,	1.00	8.00
Golden Queen, yellow,	1.50	10.00
Herbert, red,	1.00	8.00
Latham, new red Everbearing	2.00	15.00
St. Regis, red Everbearing,	1.00	8.00
25 at 100 rate	es	

#### PLUMS

2 year trees, \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for 10. Abundance Burbank

#### QUINCE

Orange. 4 to 5 feet tall, \$1.25 each, \$5.00 for 5.



## NOVELTIES IN SEEDS FOR 1931

Campanula Piperi. A species worth growing in every rock garden. Little known in cultivation but destined to a great future. Reaching one foot in height, and bearing light blue bell-shaped flowers in great pofusion during the whole season. Out of the creeping plants numerous flower stalks appear, flowering continuously during late summer. Enjoyable when most other plants in the rockery have ceased flowering. Good grower in partial shade. Pkt. 50c, 3 for \$1.40.

Iberis Jucunda. One of our finest dwarf perennials for beautifying borders, paths, alpines and rockeries. Of bushy habit, nothing can be compared with its compact symmetrical growth and long lasting flowering period. Its very regular pyramidal shaped flower stalks are of a beautiful salmon-rose color changing later to rosy white. Its flowering period lasts for many weeks, there is nothing that equals it as to its perpetuity. The length of the plant without flowers is up to three inches, but when in full bloom, nearly one foot may be reached. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

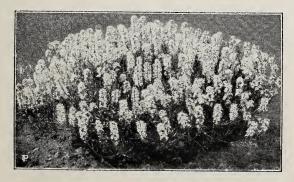
#### DOUBLE ORIENTAL POPPY

Papaver Orientale, floraplena. Rare new double flowering hybrid. Never before have seeds of double oriental poppies been offered, and this new acquisition to horticulture offers great possibilities. New shapes and forms might be expected in the next years in seedlings from them. Valuable features are its earliness in flowering, for at that time of the



Campanula Piperi year there is still a lack of cut flowers in perennials, and further its long keeping qualities as a cut flower is a property which can easily be prolongated by dipping the flower stem, immediately after cutting, into boiling water. Plants of bushy habit, with thick feathery foliage, and producing numerous flowers of a very striking glowing orange scarlet. Its flowers when fully expanded measuring four to six inches across. Pkt. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

### FLOWER SEEDS



Iberis Jucunda
ASTERS

Choice Mixture, including all colors. Pkt. 15c, ¼ oz. \$1.00.

#### ALYSSUM

Excellent sweetly scented plants, ideal for the rockery or front of borders. Bloom profusely all Summer. A good edging plant of easy culture.

Sweet Alyssum. (Annual.) The well known fragrant white. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 20c, oz. 75c.

Saxatile Compactum. (Perennial.) Hardy, will produce hundreds of golden yellow flowers in one year. Pkt. 15c, ¼ oz. 50c, oz. \$1.50.

#### CALENDULA

Sometimes called "Pot Marigold." Excellent for cutting and table decoration.

Lemon Queen. Large beautiful flowers. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c, oz. 75c.

Orange King. Rich dark orange. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 25c, oz. 75c.

Double Mixed, a choice mixture. Pkt. 10c, oz. 35c.





#### CANDYTUFT-IBERIS

Very beautiful showy, branching annual Seed sown in Spring out-doors will produce flowers from July until September. Very effective for beds and borders.

Alexander's Giant White. Immense spikes, the largest white, extra selected strain. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c.

Empress. Large white. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 20c, oz. 60c.

Rose Cardinal. Brilliant rosy-red. 1 foot tall. Pkt. 15c, 1/4 oz. 50c.

#### COSMOS

Mammoth Late Blooming. In pink, red or white, any colors, at 10c per pkt., 30c 1/4 oz. Mixed Cosmos. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 30c.

#### DAHLIA

Dahlia seed, started early in a hot bed, will produce flowers the first year. They should be planted and transplanted into the open the same as you would Tomatoes.

Alexander's Phenomenal Creations. Selected from my very best varieties. Highly recommended. \$2.00 per pkt.

Alexander's Art Dahlias. Single and semidouble flowered varieties, very free-flowering.

General Mixture. Pkt. 20c, 1/4 oz. \$1.50.

Coltness Hybrid Dahlias. Very dwarf, single mixture. Excellent for bedding. Pkt. 50c, trial pkt. 25c, 1/4 oz. \$1.50.

Coltness Scarlet Gem. Dwarf bedding type, single bright scarlet flowers. 75c pkt, 3 pkt. \$2.00.

#### **DELPHINIUM-LARKSPUR**

(Perenni-Alexander's Aristocrats. al.) Selected Hybrids from one of the finest collections in the world; including the most exceptional large flowered varieties, the cream of the Hollyhock-flowered and the finest long-spiked varieties. Very large color range, from most delicate blues to deepest purples, with many rare blends. Pkt. \$2.00.

Samuel Watkins English Hollyhock-Flowered Wrexham Strain. (Perennial.) An exceptionally fine strain including all of the best and most unusual colors, very tall sturdy growers. Pkt. \$1.00.

Gold Medal Hybrids. (Perennial.) Fingeneral assortment. Pkt. 25c, 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

#### EVERLASTINGS

They should be grown in a good loamy soil, gathered when partially unfolded, and suspended with their heads downward in a cool place. 1 to 2 ft. tall.

Helichrysum, Fireball. (Arcrimson. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c. (Annual.) Double

H. Golden Ball. Double yellow. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c.

H. Rose Queen. Double rose. Pkt. 10c, 1/4

H. Salmon Queen. Double salmon. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c.

H. Snowball. Double white. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 ez.

H. Violet Queen. Double violet. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c.

H. Monstruosum. Double mixed. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 40c.

## MARIGOLD Tagetes

Double Pulchra. Double golden yellow flowers having a deep velvety brown center. Grows 12 inches tall. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 30c, 1/2 oz. 50c.

Dwarf Orange Ball. Small, perfectly round double flowers of a glistening orange color. Grows 1 foot tall. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 35c, 1/2 oz. 55c.

Compact Gold Striped. Neat compact border plants with blooms of a velvety mahoganybrown attractively striped with bright gold; 1 foot tall. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 30c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 85c.

Dwarf French Double Mixed. Includes a wide range of fine colors. Blooms freely from July until frost; 1 foot. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c.

Legion of Honor. Unexcelled for borders. Single golden yellow flowers with brown centers; 1 foot tall. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 30c, 1/2 oz. 50c, oz. 85c.



### PETUNIAS

The Petunias are among the most satisfactory of annuals, being free-flowering, sweet-scented and easily cultivated. They are well known favorites, effective and beautiful in window boxes, borders, beds, urns — anywhere a touch of color is required. They will thrive in almost any soil and produce a brilliant array of colors throughout a long season.

#### SINGLE PETUNIAS

#### Alexander's Ruffled Aristocrats.

These are the finest developments in Single Petunias, with flowers of phenomenal size, three to five inches in diameter. They are exquisitely ruffled and frilled, having the greatest color range, from white, pale apple-blossom pink, amaranth and lilac pink, thru the most beautiful reds, to mauve, blue and deepest purple. There are reds veined mahogany with black center; pure flame rose pinks without a touch of purple, and others so unusually mottled and veined, they give you the most rare Single Petunias obtainable. Pkt. \$1.00, large pkt. \$2.00.

Diener's Ruffled Monsters. Large flowers, beautifully waved, and most artistically fringed and ruffled on the edges. Includes a wide range of bright and showy colors—pink, scarlet, crimson, lavender, purple, and others. Many are self-colors, others are attractively mottled and blotched in a most showy manner. Small pkt. 50c, 3 for 1.40.

Giant Fluffy Ruffles. Plant breeders may be proud of their accomplishments with this flower. Not only has its size been increased to undreamed of proportion, but the color scale represents unusual tones and combinations of shades. Pkt. 35c, 1/128 oz. 85c; 1/64 oz. \$1.35; 1/32 oz. \$2.10.

Alexander's Blue. Magnificent clear ultramarine-blue, measuring 2½ to 3 inches in diameter. Even though this was introduced only a few years ago, it has become one of the best known Petunias for borders, bedding, window and porch boxes because of its unusual colors. Pkt. 25c; 1/32 oz. 65c; 1/16 oz. \$1.10..

Balcony or Large-Flowered Bedding Petunias. A beautiful and valuable type of Petunias with good size flowers, useful for planting in porch boxes, beds, terraces, or among rockwork. The Balcony Petunias may be depended upon to supply an unsurpassed floral effect throughout the summer and fall. The individual blooms measure three inches in diameter and are borne very profusely covering the plants throughout the season.

Balcony Rose Balcony White Balcony Blue

Any of these:

Pkt. 15c; 1/32 oz. 40c;

1/16 oz. 65c; 1/8 oz. \$1.10;

1/4 oz. \$1.90.

Enchantress Mixture. It is a matter of personal choice whether one plants Petunias in named varieties or gives to the garden that grandeur created by a combination of all colors. Enchantress Mixture gives a beautiful display and is highly recommended for beds and borders, both large and small. Pkt. 10c; 1/16 cz. 35c; ½ oz. 55.

#### **DOUBLE PETUNIA**

Alexander's Double Ruffled Aristocrats. Like the Singles above in their variety of colors and gigantic size, but producing a very large percentage of double flowers; an exceptionally rare offering. Pkt. \$2.00; large pkt. \$4.00.

Diener's Double Ruffled Monsters.

Giants from California. An excellent, carefully hand-pollenized strain, yielding a large percentage of plants having double, finely fringed flowers. Embraces a splendid variety of colors and many beautiful combinations. The seed of this is extremely costly and requires good care in growing, as the small, backward seedlings with crumpled foliage are the ones that produce the best double blooms. Small pkt. \$1.00.

Fordhook Fancy Fringed. Hand-pollenized strain, yielding a large percentage of plants having double, finely fringed flowers. Embraces a splendid variety of colors and many beautiful combinations. Small pkt. 35c; 1/128 oz. \$1.65; 1/64 oz. \$2.75; 1/32 oz. \$4.50.

#### **PORTULACA**

A beautiful flower, unsurpassed in brilliancy by any other annual in cultivation. The plants are low-growing and creep along the ground. They thrive well in almost any location, even in a dry sunny place among stones, and can withstand the hottest summer weather. They like the full sunlight, but the finest flowers are produced the latter part of August and in September, when there are heavy dews at night. This is particularly true of the double varieties.

Portulaca Grandiflora. Beautiful dwarf plants that will bloom profusely all Summer. Their richly colored flowers make very effective and brilliant displays when planted in large beds and masses; one of our best annuals, easily grown. My select mixture includes all shades of crimson, pink, white, yellow and scarlet. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 50c.

Double Orange. A fine shade of orange. The flowers are large and perfectly double. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 45c; 1/8 oz. 75c; 1/4 oz. \$1.25.

Double Red. The bright red flowers are large and full. A gorgeous and free-blooming variety. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 45c; 1/8 oz. 75c.

Double White. Pure white flowers. Large and fully double, showing their rich yellow stamens as the flowers age and expand. Blooms freely and continuously. Pkt. 15c; 1/16 oz. 45c; 1/8 oz. 75c.

Double Mixed. Unsurpassed for brilliancy. A wide range of colors, including all the above. Pkt. 10c; 1/16 oz. 30c; 1/2 oz. 50c.



### **POPPIES**



Papaver Orientale (See page 53)
PHLOX

Drummondi. An extremely beautiful type of annual Phlox, producing an abundance of bloom throughout the Summer. The flowers, which are borne in immense trusses, are found in a variety of beautiful colors, many with attractive centers. Very easily grown. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 75c.

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#### CHINESE LANTERN PLANT

Physalis Francheti. Winter Cherry or Chinese Lantern Plant. (Perennial), orange-scarlet fruits. Pkt. 25c, 1/4 oz. 75c.

Fordhoow Fairy Poppies. Truly gorgeous flowers 5 inches in diameter on plants 18 to 24 inches tall. Elegantly fringed and twisted petals in white, pink, rose, scarlet, crimson, chocolate-brown, mahogany, slate-blue, and other fine shades. One of our finest annuals. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 30c, ½ oz. 50c, oz. 85c.

#### SUNSET MIXTURE

Where a bed or border of bright colors from midsummer until frost is wanted, this California Poppy mixture will fill the place well. Sow in early spring. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 20c, 1/2 oz. 30c, oz. 50c.

#### SANTA BARBARA POPPY

Hunnemannia fumariaefolia. Magnificent golden yellow flowers borne erect on stiff stems two feet tall. Truly a lovely, easily grown flower, doing best in a limestone soil of a rather sandy and well-drained nature. The plants bloom from July until frost. Sometimes called Giant Yellow Tulip Poppy because of its Tulip-like appearance. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 30c; ½ oz. 50c.

#### POPPIES

Alexander's Selected Shirley Poppies. An extra choice strain of these charming Poppies, including pure white, pink, salmon, terractta, rosy carmine, chamoise, rosy red and deepest crimson. 18 inches tall. Pkt. 10c, oz. 50c.

Iceland Poppy, (Nudicaule.) Single mixed perennial Poppies, in white, yellow, orange-scarlet and red. The first of the Poppies to bloom. Pkt. 25c, ¼ oz. \$1.00.

Oriental Poppy, (Orientale.) Large magnificently brilliant flowers, choicest mixture. Pkt. 15c, ¼ oz. \$1.00.

Choice Single Mixed. A good mixture for bedding, baskets, vases, etc. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 50c, oz. \$1.50.

#### MARIGOLD

Alexander's Sunburst Lemon. (African.) Double lemon-yellow, 4-5 inches in diameter. Pkt. 25c, 1/8 oz. \$1.00.

Alexander's Sunburst Orange. (African.) Double orange-yellow, 5 to 6 inches in diameter. Pkt. 25c, 1/8 oz. \$1.00.

Dwarf Choice Mixed. (French.) Double. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 30c, oz. \$1.00

Tall Choice Mixed. (French.) Double. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 30c, oz. \$1.00.



### SWEET PEAS

The Sweet Peas are among the most desired of garden annuals, their dainty flowers and delightful perfume make them universally esteemed. For best results the soil should be thoroughly and deeply dug over, a good liberal application of well-rotted manure worked-in, and the seeds planted six inches deep. Cover two inches at time of planting and fill in the balance as the vines grow. They enjoy plenty of water and manure, and require frequent cultivation. Plant seeds one to two inches apart. They should be supported. I offer the cream of the Spencer varieties — the Spencer's are the Aristocrats of the Sweet-Pea family.

### **EXCEPTIONAL SWEET PEAS**

Brilliant Rose. One of the finest new creations in Sweet Peas, a color much desired, and most outstanding. Glowing tyrian-rose with scintillating sheen. One of the most exceptional. Liberal packet, 50c; small packet, 20 seeds, 20c.

Fluffy Ruffles. A remarkable new type with large double ruffled blooms of a most charming elegance. An exquisite light cream pink. Its flowers are gracefully ruffled and frilled, making a most desirable new creation. Liberal packets, 50c each; small packets of 20 seeds, 20c each.

#### GIANT SPENCER SWEET PEAS

All varieties 10c per packet, 30c per oz., 75c per  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., \$2.50 per pound.

Barbara. Glistening pure salmon blooms of exquisite texture.

Charming. Bright glowing cerise, with rich salmon sheen.

Cherub. One of the most attractive of all picotee varieties; rich cream edged bright rose.

Commander Godsall. Large beautifully wavy deep violet-blue.

Crimson King. Finest and richest crimson, large wavy petals.

Fordhook Blue. Rich Delphinium-blue, or azure blue.

George Shawyer. Bright orange-salmon, wings tinted salmon.

Glen Eagles. The best true blue, very large gracefully waved, light blue.

Guinea Gold. Glowing orange shaded gold, most unusual.

#### VERBENA

The Verbena is today one of the most popular annuals for bedding purposes, its vigorous growth, free-blooming qualities, and brilliancy of coloring making it most desirable. I offer the finest giant flowered strain. A choice mixture of blue, pink, purple, scarlet, yellow, white and striped sorts. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 oz. 60c.

Hawlmark Pink. Beautiful rich rose-pink, luminous tint of salmon.

Hawlmark Salmon-pink. Rich deep cream pink tinted salmon and orange.

Mammoth. Magnificent blazing orangescarlet.

Model. The finest white.

Orchid Improved. Clear cattleya-lavender, as lovely as any orchid.

Warrior. Enormous, rich velvety maroon, beautifully waved.

One packet of each, 15 of the finest Sweet Peas in existence, for \$1.00 postpaid, 1 oz. of each for \$4.00.

Any 6 packets of Giant Spencers for 50c, your choice.

#### ZINNIAS

Alexander's Dahlia-flowered. A new type of large flowered broad petaled Zinnia, being much larger than the Giant type. A choice mixture of all colors. Pkt. 25c, 1/4 oz. \$1.50.

Giant. Double flowered tall Zinnia, all colors. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 50c.

#### NASTURTIUMS

These are among the most easily grown annuals; for beauty and profusion they cannot be excelled. The tall varieties are excellent for covering trellises or rockeries. The Dwarf sorts are most desirable for beddings and edgings.

Alexander's Tall Surprise Mixture. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.65.

Alexander's Dwarf Favorite Mixture. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.65.



### VEGETABLE SEEDS

#### BEETS

Crosby's Egyptian. Best early beet, small top and tap root. Skin very dark red, roots a flattened globe shape. Recommended. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 4 oz. 50c, 1 lb. \$1.25, 2 lbs. \$2.30, 5 lbs. \$5.00 postpaid.

Detroit Dark Red. Best Home, Market Garden and Canning sort. Roots uniformly smooth, of medium size, good texture, and globe shaped. Skin dark red, flesh solid vermilion red. Tops are small, upright, dark green, shaded red. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 4 oz. 50c, 1 lb. \$1.25, 2 lbs. \$2.30, 5 lbs. \$5.00 postpaid.

#### CARROTS

Chantenay or Model. Highly recommend-banvers half long. Excellent deep orange-red color, roots about 6 inches long. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 4 oz. 50c, ½ lb. 75c, 1 lb. \$1.25, 2 lbs. \$2.30, 5 lbs. \$5.00 postpaid.

Danvers Half Long. The most desirable main crop variety.

an excellent keeper, roots 6 to 8 inches long tapering to a blunt point; flesh, deep orange, tender and good quality. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 4 oz. 50c, ½ lb. 75c, 1 lb. \$1.25, 2 lbs. \$2.30, 5 lbs. \$5.00 postpaid.

#### BEANS

Dwarf Horticultural. Large green pods The popular shell bean for home and market.  $V_2$  lb. 25c, 1 lb. 48c, 2 lbs. 75c, 10 lbs. \$3.00 postpaid.

French Dwarf Horticultural. Young pods are stringless. Used for both shell and string bean purposes. The round seeds are light buff spotted with red. Pkt. 10,  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 30c, 1 lb. 55c, 2 lbs. \$1.00, 8 lbs. \$3.50.

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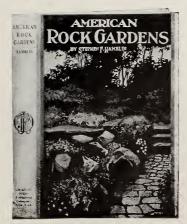
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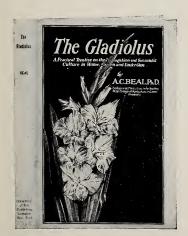


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#### Alexander's Special Bulb Food

Because a great many of my customers ask me the type of fertilizer I use on my bulbs, I have decided to offer my customers the same kind of fertilizer that I use myself. It is manufactured at the well known Bradley's Fertilizer works at Weymouth, and made of the very best materials available. Its advantages are that it is a complete food, especially prepared for plants and bulbs requiring growing food throughout the entire season. In addition to the 10% potash in this food, there are liberal amounts of nitrates which make manures so quickly available, and phosphoric acid which is the chemical found in Bone Meal. It is equivalent to using manure, bone meal, and having potash in addition. Applied in the Spring, it gives you a food from early Spring, throughout the entire Summer and Fall, and this food contains quick starting properties to give your plants and bulbs a good quick start, foliage building properties; has stem and substance building chemicals, as well as flower, bulb and fibre producing ability. It is a complete food for the plants requirements for the entire season, and the advantage is that it can be applied all at the planting time, assuring you the best possible results. 25 pounds is sufficient for 100 feet of row space. Two liberal handfuls around a dahlia tuber is recommended. It is excellent for use around perennials in the Spring, and two handfuls should be hoed into the ground at the time of cultivation of each plant or clump. 5 lbs. for 25c, 10 lbs. for 50c, 25 pounds for \$1.00, 100 pounds for \$4.00, 200 lbs. for \$7.50, 500 lbs. for \$16.00, 1,000 lbs. for \$30.00. (If wanted by parcel post, please add sufficient to cover postage. 500 pounds or more shipped, freight paid, to any part of New England.)

Agrico. A compact food for all purposes. 5 lbs. 50c, 10 lbs. \$1.00.

Bone Meal. Recommended for the garden and lawns, of best grade obtainable. Too well known to require further description. 10 lbs. for 75c, 25 lbs. for \$1.50, 50 lbs. for \$2.00, 100 lbs. for \$3.75, 500 lbs. for \$15.00. (500 lbs. or more shipped freight paid.) In smaller lots, please send postage, otherwise I will ship by express collect.

Potting Soil. Specially prepared soil, especially for potting house plants, or for re-potting. Clean and healthy, composed of a good rich loam, virgin soil, woods earth, well decayed leaf-mold, and carefully balanced fertilizers. Ideal for seed beds. 30 lbs. \$1.00, \$3.00 per 100 lbs.

Poultry Manure. Good clear rich poultry manure, from my next door neighbor's hen roosts. As good as can be secured. Kept under cover. 25 lbs. for 60c, 50 lbs. for \$1.00, 100 lbs. for \$1.75 by express.

Sheep Manure. Pulverized. Excellent for top-dressing for lawns, or as a quickly available plant food for around roses, and larkspurs. 25 lbs. for \$1.00, 1,000 lbs. for \$25.00 freight paid.

Woods Earth. Excellent for use in potting plants, or in the garden. Ideal for around perennials. Includes leaf-mold, peat and woods earth. 25 lbs. for \$1.00.

SEEDTOW. LAWN

GRASS

## Seedtown Lawn and Garden Food. A new specially prepared food for lawns, possessing all proper-

ties required to make a good thick deep green lawn. It is golden yellow color, odorless, contains no useless filler, and is equally effective for shrubs, house plants, trees, gardens and lawns. Apply 10 lbs. to a lawn 25x30. 3 lbs. 45c, 5 lbs. 60c, 10 lbs. \$1.15.



Vigoro. A scientifically developed plant food that is ideal for house plants, lawns and general use. A combination of plant food that will meet most exacting requirements. When applied to plants in pots or in the greenhouse, it is advisable to water the plants thoroughly afterwards. For topdressing the lawn in the Spring, use 50 lbs. for a lot 30x125 ft. 12 oz. 10c, 5 lbs. 60c, 25 lbs. \$2.00, 50 lbs. \$3.50, 100 lbs. \$6.00.

### LAWN GRASS SEED

Seedtown Lawn Grass Mixture Has a base of Heavy

weight Kentucky Blue Grass and contains no timothy or chaffy filler. All cartons are labeled the year of packing to assure the consumer of fresh seed. 15½ oz. sifter carton 75c each, 5 lb. bag \$3.50, 10 lb. bag \$6.50.

Seedtown Shady Lawn Grass Mixture. The ideal grass seed for shady places, especially prepared and recommended. 15½ oz. sifter carton 75c.

### A Cordial Invitation

to visit my gardens, whenever you have the opportunity, is extended to you. You are invited to come, and bring your friends, — the more the merrier. I assure you I will strive to make your visit as pleasant as possible, and that I will show you over my entire farm.

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My gardens are located on the State Road from Boston to Cape Cod, between the towns of Bridgewater and Middleboro, five miles south of Bridgewater.

You will be able to enjoy over seventy-five acres of dahlias, which are in bloom from late July until frost, and are usually at their best during late August. Thousands of Gladioli, bordering the State Road near my new roadside-stand, will interest you, I am sure. My planting of them for 1931 will be considerably increased. For an early Spring attraction, I will have two acres of Tulips, which for this part of the country, will be a very unusual sight. The Darwin Tulips, which are the "Aristocrats of Tulipdom," will be at their best just before Decoration Day.

A half-mile auto drive thru my garden, with flowers on both sides, which was completed this past year will make it convenient for you to drive among my "Aristocrats of the Dahlia-World."

A large advertising sign at the corner, which says, "You are now in Dahliatown" will help you to locate my gardens. You are welcome at all times.

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